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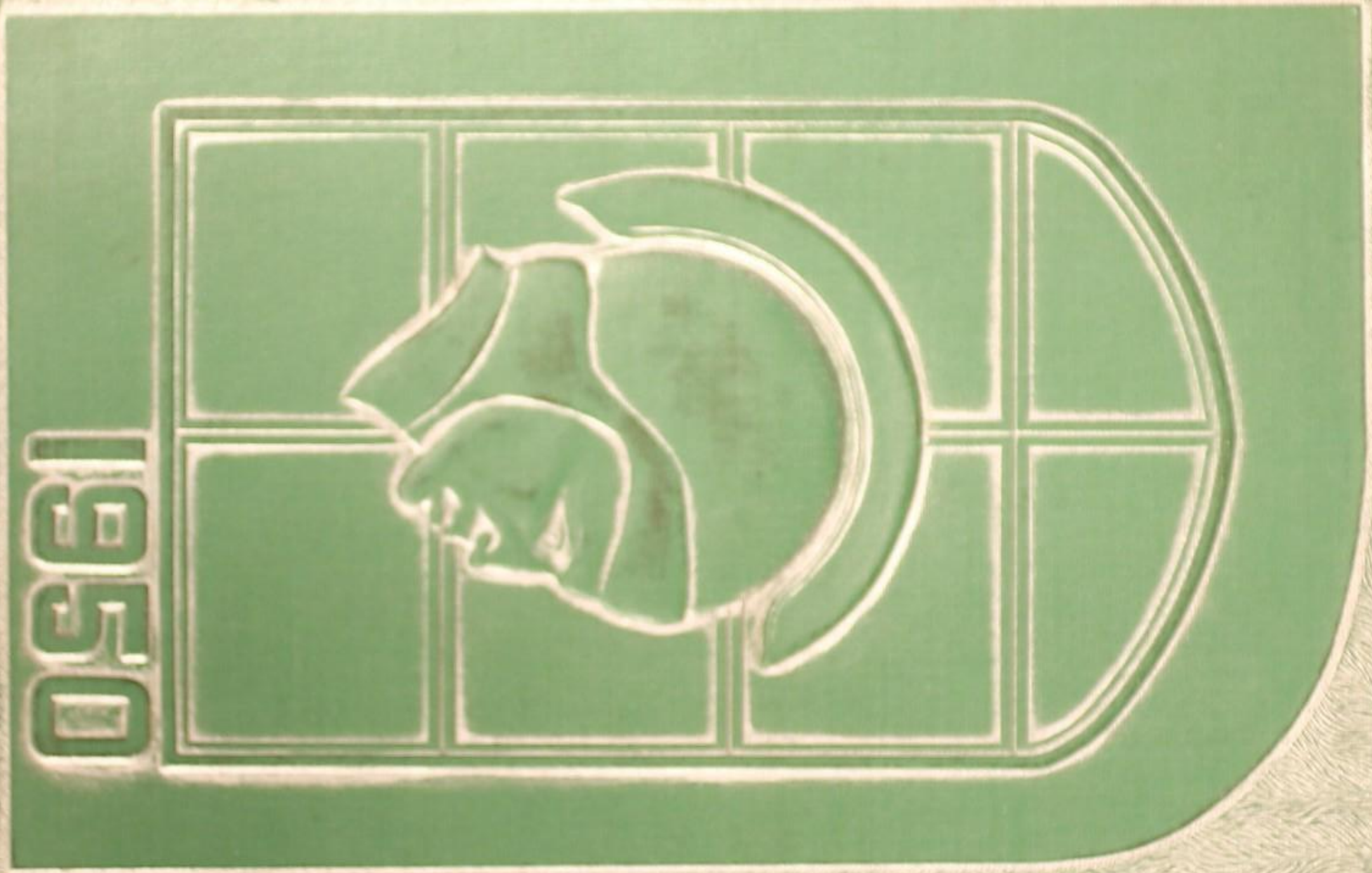

1950

Joan McKnaught

Dear Joan,
You have been a
swell friend and
co-worker this year.
Hope to see you in school
next year.
Louise Butler

Dear Joan
You are one of the
very best. Good luck.
Dale Ridgway

Dear Joan
We have been
real good friends
ever since kindergarten
I hope nothing will
ever break that up
I think you are
one of the best and nicest
friends a girl could
ever have
Joan Wilson

Your a good kid even if we did beat on you in Homeroom
Charles Mathias

Best of luck
Ethel Wilson

Lots of good luck
Barbara Patterson

To a swell girl
I wish you could have been in some of my classes
Sincerely
Dan Polson

Be good, and have a good time.
Marvin Bouch

Good Luck to a swell person
Meredith Andre

Good Luck to a swell friend.
Barbara Fargo

Lots of Luck
Paul Anspaugh

I have enjoyed going through school with you the past years
Your friend
Shirley Frost

Dear Partner

Lots of Luck to a swell girl
Arlene Foerster

Best Wishes to a wonderful gal
Lindsey

Best Wishes
Peggy

To a swell girl
Jean Parker

Best luck for the next two years
Vincent Klamfoth

Dear Joan:
Hope you'll always be my friend
Good luck to a swell gal
Doris Williams

As a swell Mgmt. Chorus Member I wish you the best of luck for the next two years. I'll see you then.
Connie White

Dear Joan
Lots of luck to a swell girl
See you then
Love Jean

Lots of luck to a swell girl
Marlene Dostert

Best of luck
Barbara Patterson

Hi Joan
Be real good
this summer. You're a
sweet girl and please stay
that way. Hope you go a
long way with your voice because
it's sure good. Bye now & take
care of yourself.
Mickey Eland

Dawn Lawrence
Lawrence Study Hall and
Chorus. Best wishes
in Future
Dawn Lee Lawrence

Joan - you
are really a sweet
girl and deserve
the best - good luck
always
Buddy Boyd

Good luck to really a swell
girl. I'm glad I met you.
See you next year.
Wanda Kent

Best of luck to a
swell but hot tempered
gal. Bob Hippensteel

To a wonderful
girl. Best of
luck
Don Morton

Good Luck in '51
graduation
Peter Downs

Lots of luck!
to a swell
girl. Be good
Mary Mickelsen

Dear Joan
The best of luck
always to a
swell kid. Be
good.
Barbara Adams

Dear Joan, Here's wishing you
all possible success, but
more with all of you
since you've gone out
of your way to be
such a swell pal.
Mickey

To a swell
girl
Don Morton

Joan:
It's been swell
knowing you. I'll
be seeing you around
next year.
Eleanor Grantor

Joan, Here's wishing you the best
of luck in the world.
Joanne Johnson

SUNFLOWER

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Topeka High School

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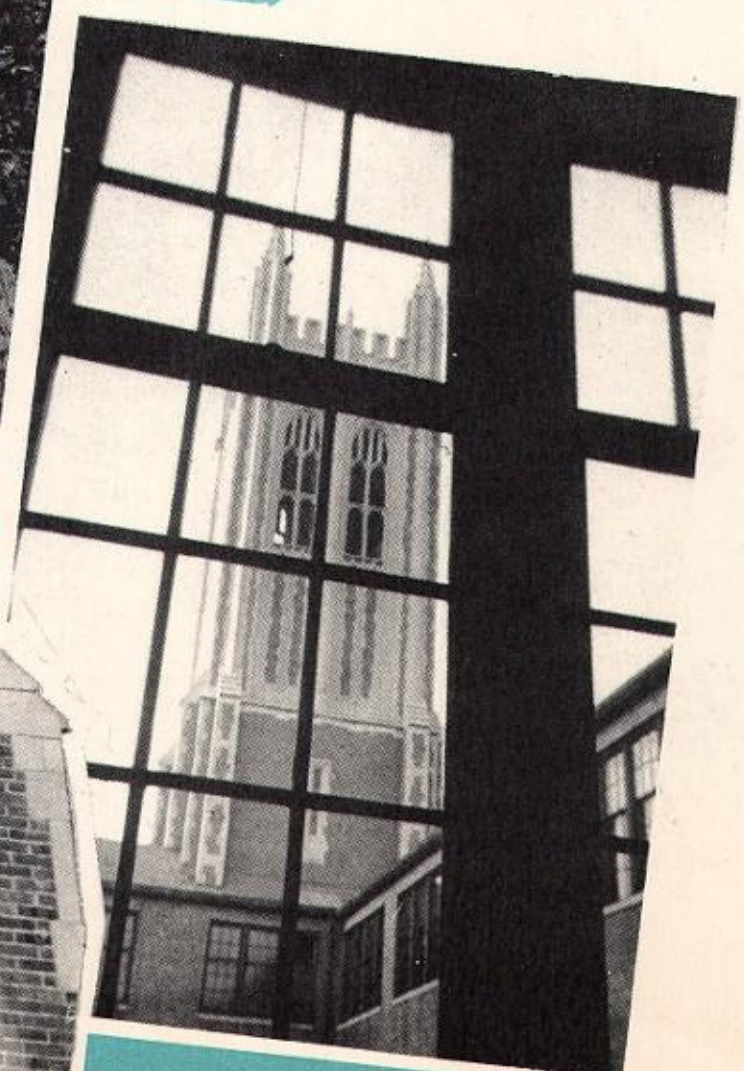
BUS. MGR.

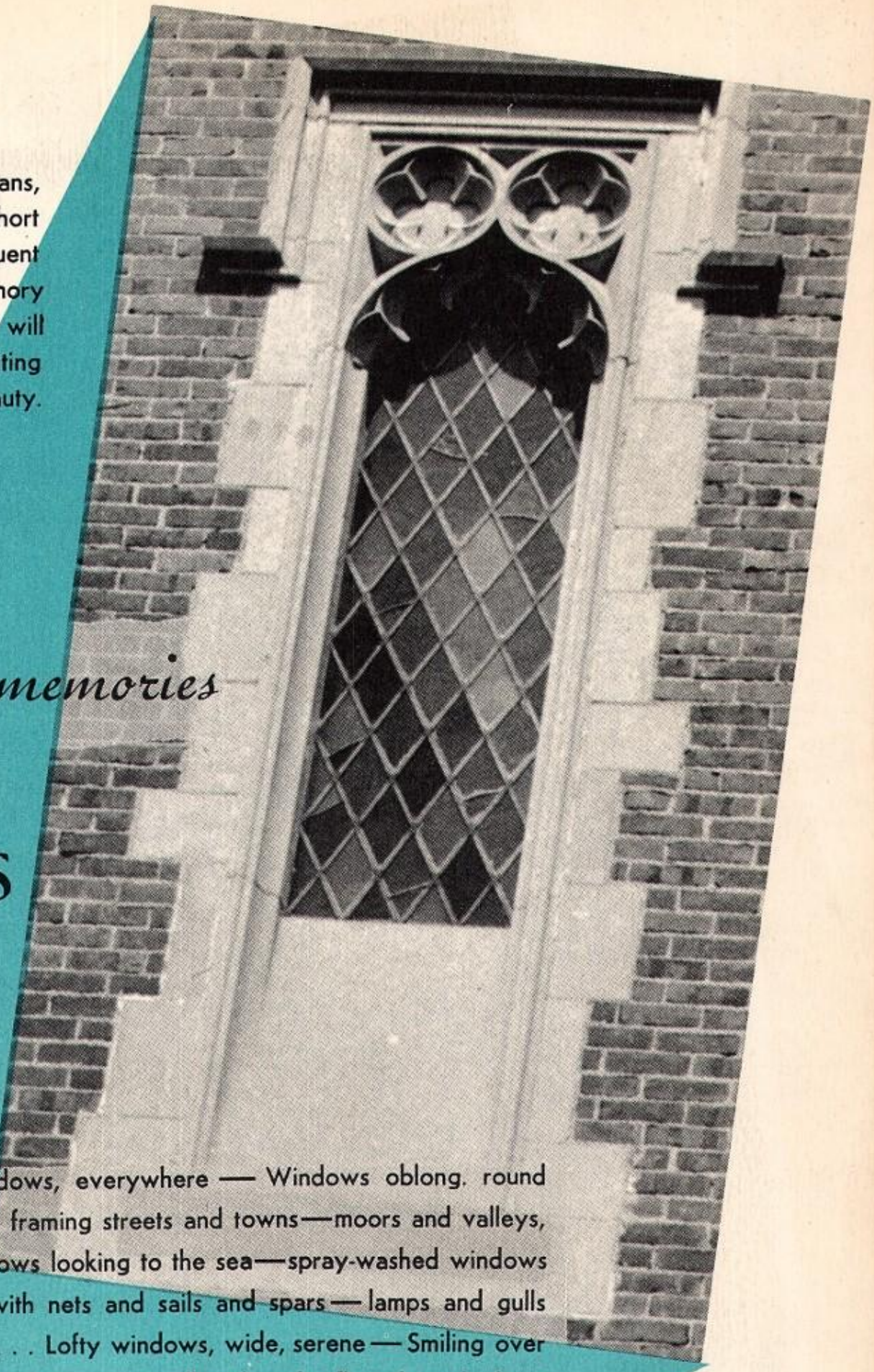
BOOKS
ARE THE
WINDOWS
THROUGH
WHICH
THE SOUL
LOOKS OUT



For each succeeding class of Trojans, high school days are over in three short years. All that remains then, is the frequent backward glance through sparkling memory Windows. These Windows of Memory will always open wide to the sweet, exciting days beneath the Tower's stately beauty.

Like frames for memories

WINDOWS



WINDOWS, windows, everywhere — Windows oblong. round and square—Windows framing streets and towns—moors and valleys, lochs and downs; windows looking to the sea—spray-washed windows by the quay—filled with nets and sails and spars—lamps and gulls and clouds and stars . . . . Lofty windows, wide, serene—Smiling over gardens green—where white statues still and cool—fling their shadows on a pool . . . Windows faced with blackened walls—where no glint of sunshine falls—windows in a squalid maze, of a slum's dark alley-ways, little windows locked and barred—grim, above some prison yard.

So, when we look out and see—roof and spire and budding tree —**Help us, God, to realize—what a window signifies . . . Freedom, light, a view, and air—and the whole wide world – out there.**

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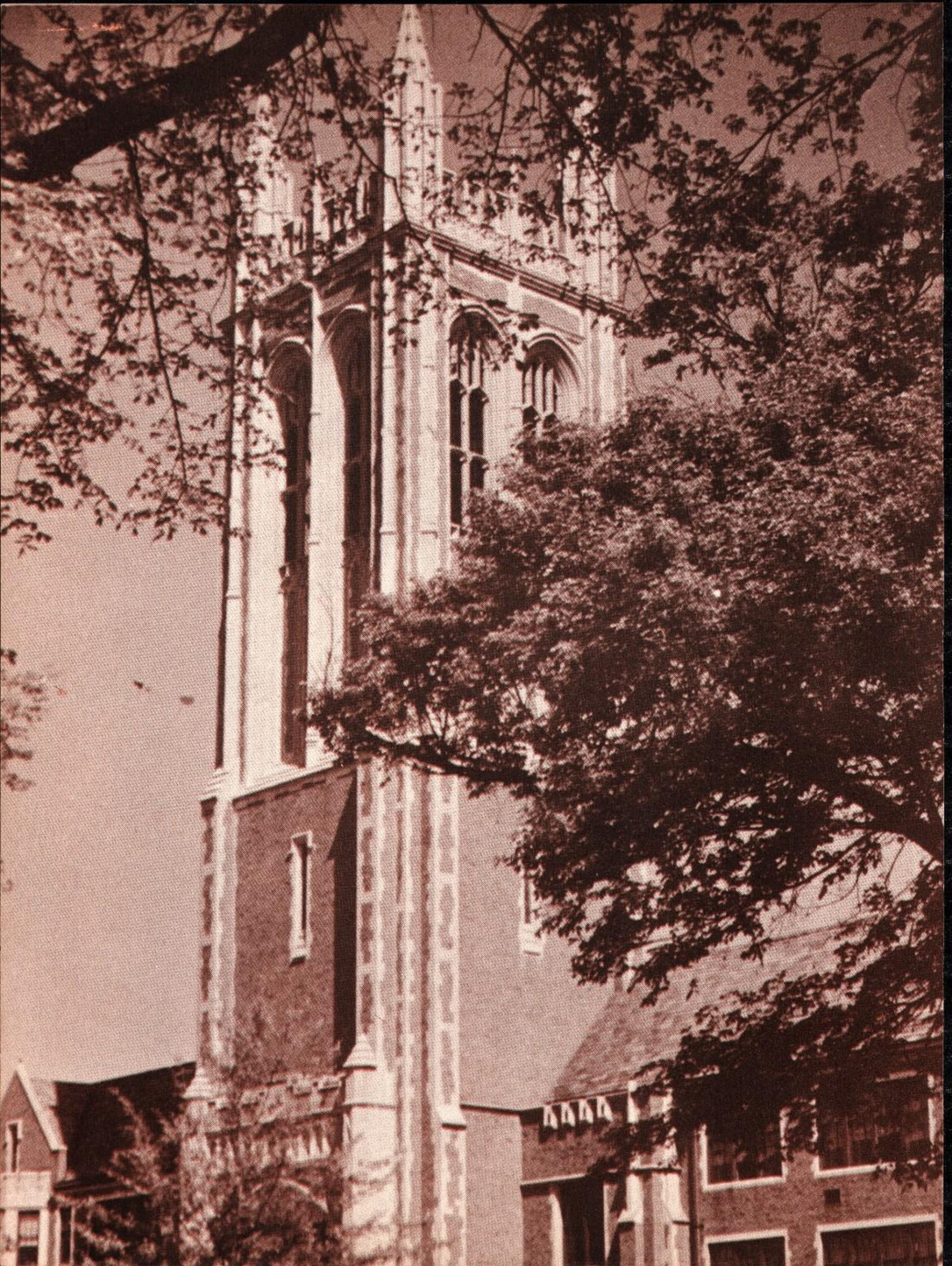

Best Wishes
and good luck to
Mary Jo Carroll

Miss Ruth E. Hunt

With the strains of "Pomp and Circumstance" another class walks down the aisle climaxing three wonderful years of high school. For the seniors, this day closes leaving with them memories of gay parties, sparkling assemblies, true friends, and a knowledge that has broadened their outlook on the world.

We, of the Sunflower, have still another cherished memory which will always be held dear in our hearts. Our memory is of the Great Lady, who in her quiet and unassuming manner, guided us toward our journalistic goals.

For her, this graduation day brings memories of many school years and many staffs who have preceded us. Miss Ruth E. Hunt is retiring. With the distribution of this book, she ends her 32 years as journalism teacher at Topeka High School.

TO YOU, MISS HUNT, WE DEDICATE THE 1950 SUNFLOWER.

Best Wishes
to a real swell
Mary Jo

for you THE TROJANS

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"Because of you we will be glad and gay,
Remembering you, we will be brave and strong."

Joan Harbes

Junior

November 6, 1949

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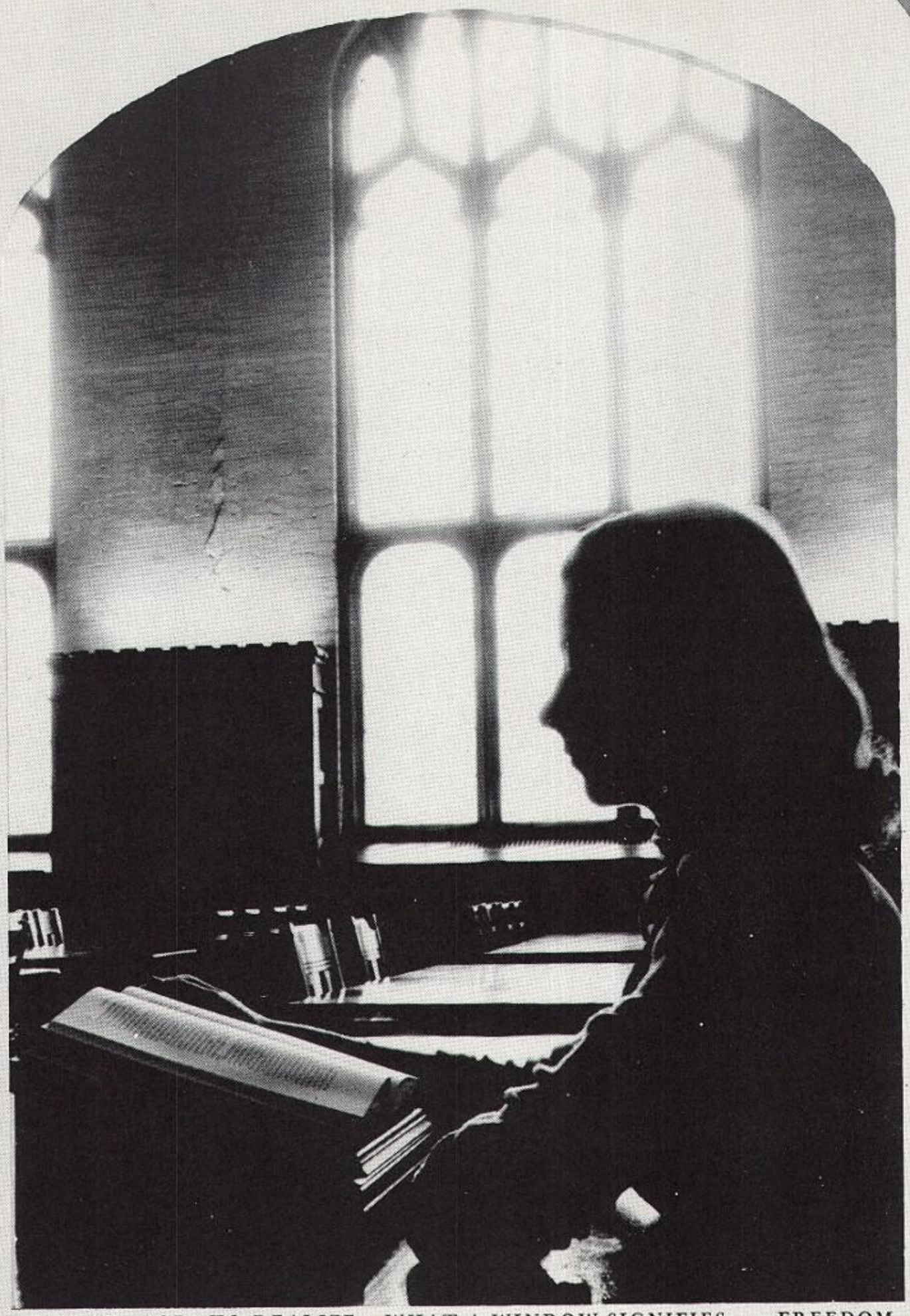

HELP US, GOD, TO REALIZE – WHAT A WINDOW SIGNIFIES . . . FREEDOM, LIGHT, A VIEW, AND AIR – AND THE WHOLE WIDE WORLD – OUT THERE.

VIEWS AND CLASS LIFE

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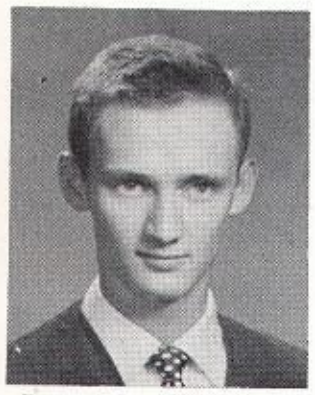
A lofty, wide, serene window . . . adding to the quiet atmosphere inside as students read, write, and study, following class life routine and dreaming dreams.

A picture window with a three-year view

THE SENIOR CLASS



Jerry Hutchison
President

Don Troup
Vice-President

Annette Huke
Secretary-Treasurer

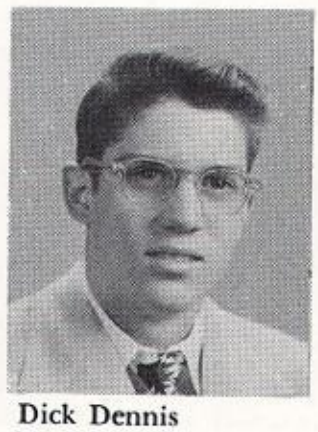
Mary Anne Paramore
Social Chairman

Seniors at last! When we reached that loftiest pinnacle of school glory, we stood transfixed by the immensity of what lay ahead and the memories of fun-filled times that lay behind.

Through the rose-tinted window of our Senior year we joyfully viewed those events most precious to all Trojans—the varsities, Homecoming, the entrance of the All-School Party queen, the operetta, and finally Commencement Yet the year was vastly different from other years, for with it came the knowledge that this was our last pep assembly, that the chimes would sing no more for us, and that Commencement would be in our honor.

The year was wonderfully happy and wistfully sad; we were eager to go and reluctant to leave. Troy was dear to the hearts of its upperclassmen. We stood long at the window of our Senior year and, gazing, tried to fasten close within our hearts the thrill of every moment. Being Seniors was the sunlit peak of our school days.

Seated: Jerry Hutchison, Mary Anne Paramore, Miss Irene Kloppenberg, sponsor, Annette Huke, Don Troup.
Standing: Charles Keith, Nancy Landon, Dick Dennis.



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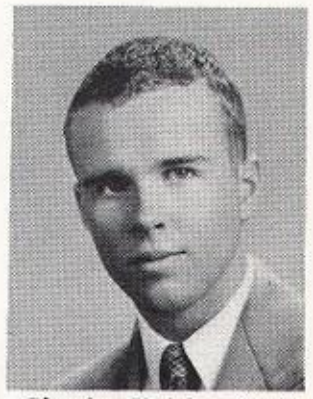

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Nancy Landon
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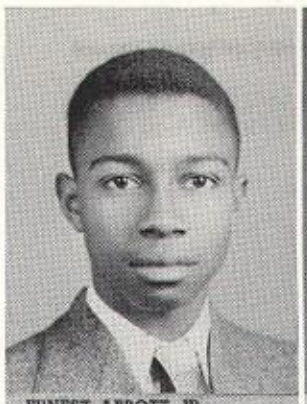

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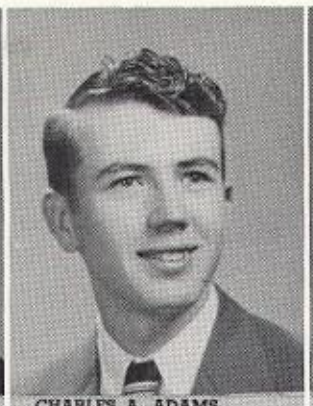
Boys' Chorus



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Movie Proctor
Industrial Arts

PHYLLIS ADDY
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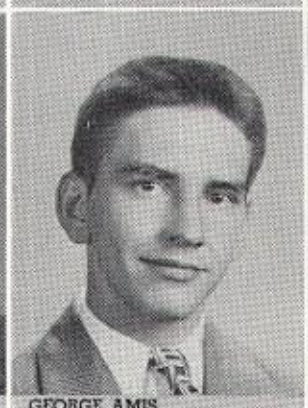
CLARENCE ALLING
Tro-Joes



GEORGE AMIS
Football
"T" Club
Intramural Basketball

JEAN AMMON

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ANITA ANDERS
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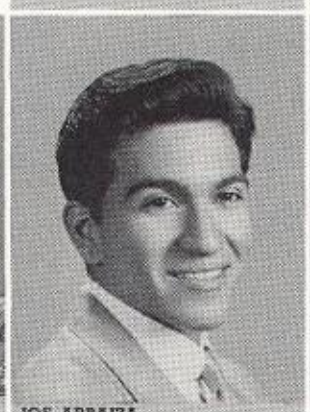
Play Cadet



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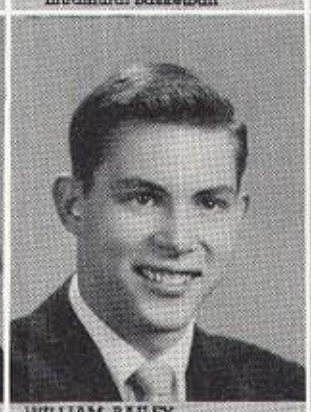

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CHARLES BALL
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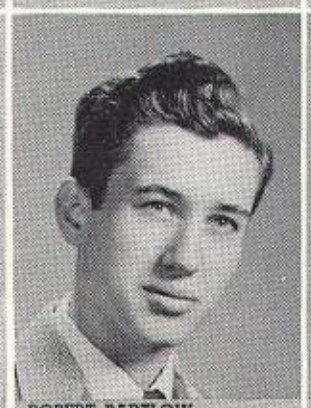
JANE BARBER
Pep Club
Hostess



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Track
"T" Club
Host

VIRGINIA BARTOS
Sunflower Editor
Senior Girls' Council
V.-Pres. Quill and Scroll

MARJORIE BAUMAN
Representative Council
Band-Orchestra
Proctor

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Play Cadet
Office Proctor

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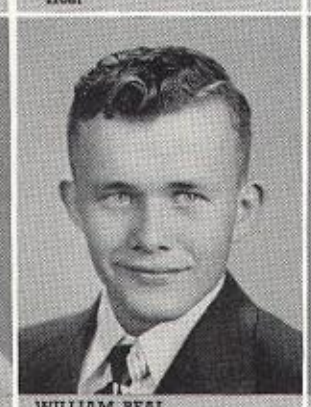
Senior Girls' Council
Proctor
Band



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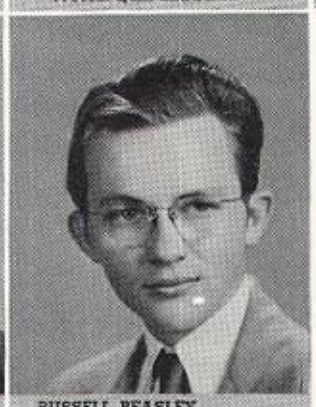
Voc. Auto-Mechanics



RUSSELL BEASLEY
Band

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PATRICIA BEAVERS
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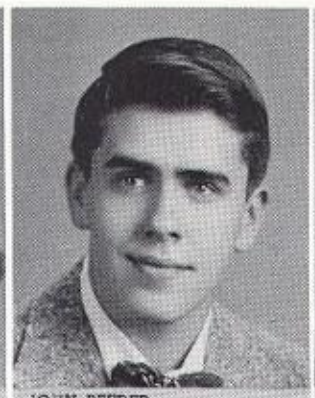
Hostess
Class Captain



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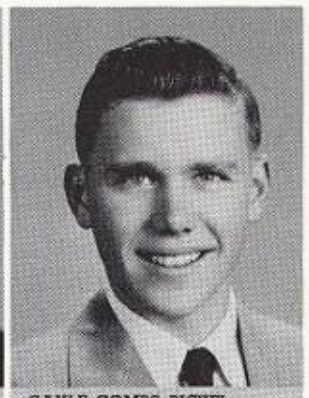

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Radio

RAY BLANCAS

BARBARA BOLEN
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Honor Pep Club
Masque and Wig
Usher Club

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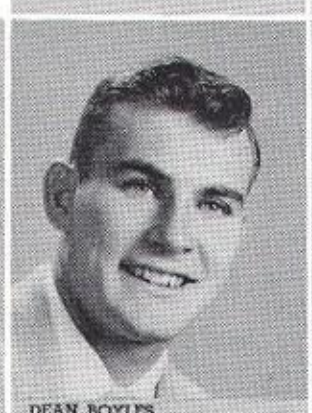

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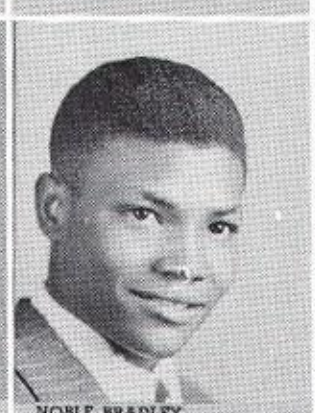

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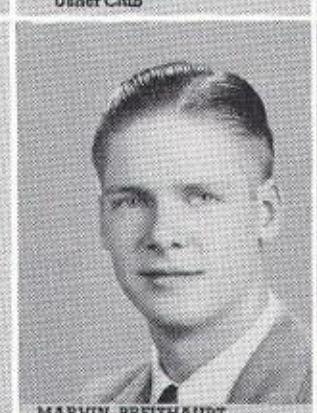

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MARY BRELSFORD
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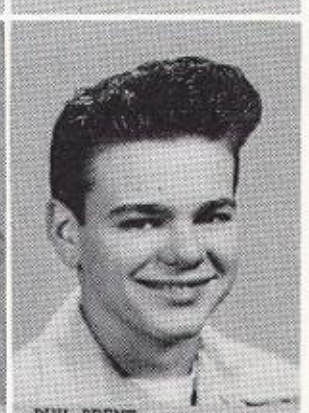
Nurses' Chemistry



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World Photographer
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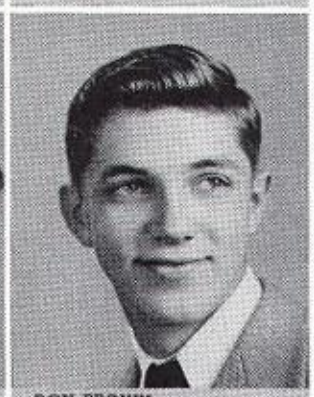

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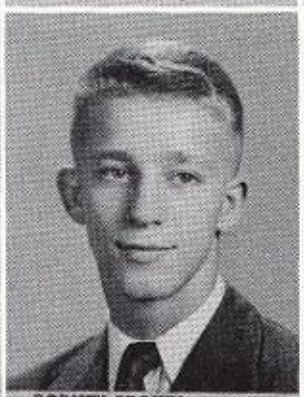

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Intramural Football

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Pep Club
Commerce Major

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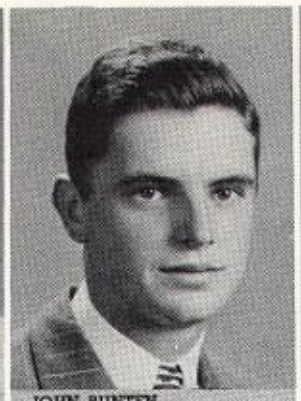

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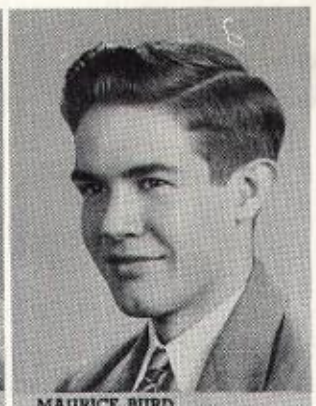

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Game Cadet

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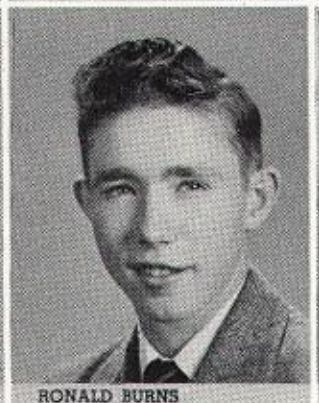
Proctor



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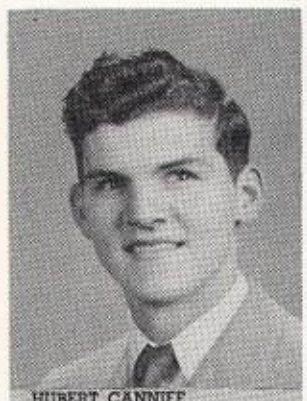
Snack Bar



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Bookkeeping
Accounting
Boys' Quartet

RICHARD CANTRALL
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Junior Representative
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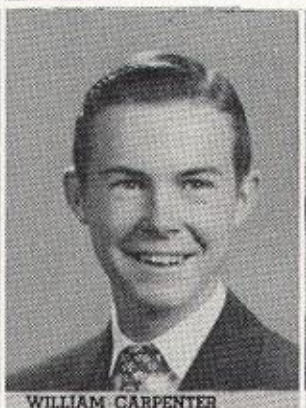
EUGENE CARNAHAN
Band
Football



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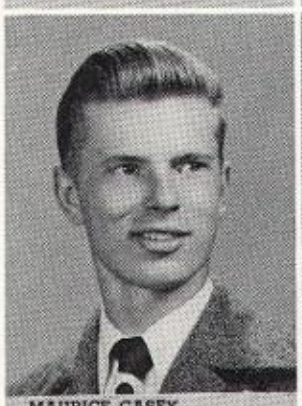

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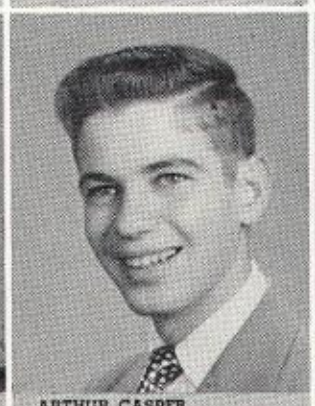

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Election Commissioner
Quill and Scroll
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Junior Girls' Club (Salina)

JOHN CHANEY
Co-op Retail Selling

NORMAN CHITTENDEN
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Machine Shop

ALICE MAE CLARK
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World-Sunflower Auditor
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BURTON COFFMAN

JOE COFRAN
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Swimming

CARLTON L. COLLINS
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Boys' Junior Glee

ANNABELLE CONDLEY
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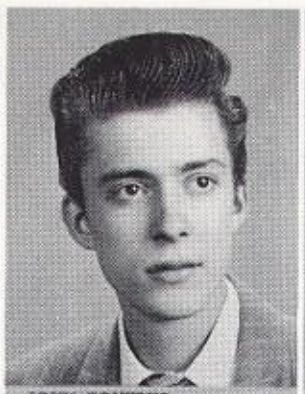
Pep Club
Troy Janes



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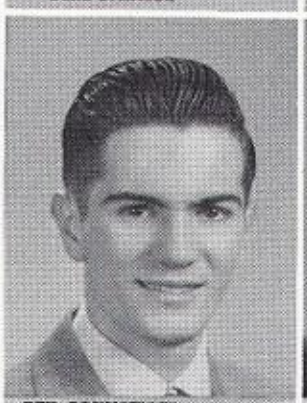

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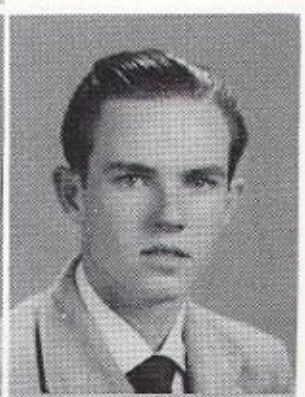

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IRENE CROOK
Girls' Junior Glee
Co-op Office Machines

DOROTHY CRUME
Concession Stand
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PATTY CUMMICKEL
Co-op Machines
Honor Pep Club

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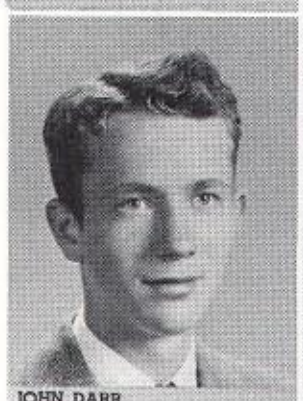

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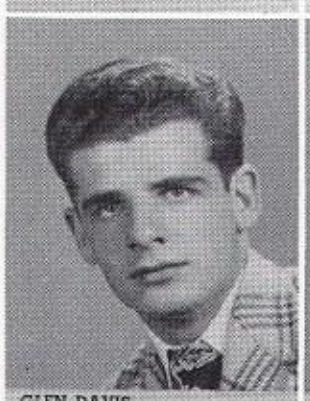
Senior Leader



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Wrestling
Auto-Mechanics
Stage Craft

BARBARA DEAN
Representative Council
Orchestra
Pep Club

BARBARA DEGNAN
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Honor Pep Club
Concession Stand Captain

FLORENCE DELGADO
Hostess

DOLORES DENHAM
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SHIRLEY DENISTON
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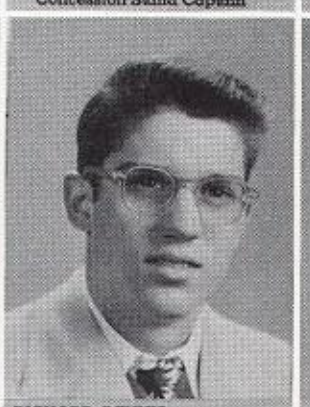

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Sophomore Representative
Baseball
Senior Representative

DELORES DEWITT
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Honor Pep Club

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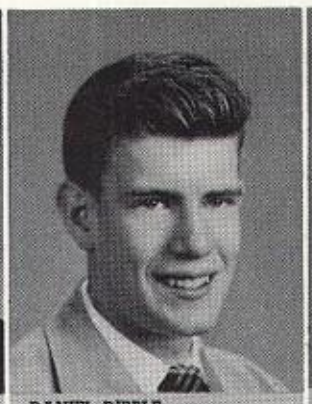
Troy Jones
Attendance Proctor



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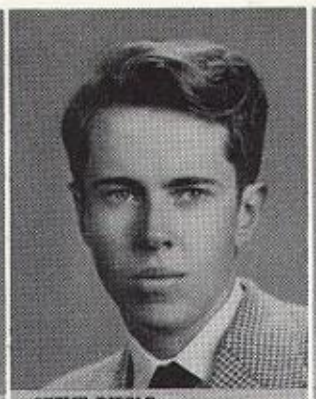

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ALAN DICKINSON
Swimming
Dramatics
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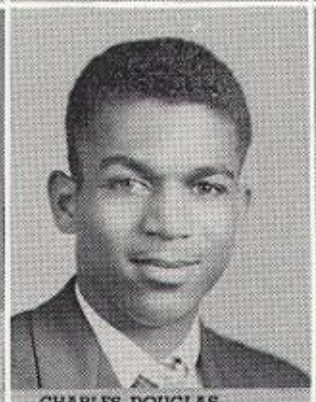
Honor Pop Club
Hostess

NORMA JEAN DODDS



CHARLES DOUGLAS
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ROBERT DOUGLAS
Voc. Auto-Mechanics
Usher Club
Game Cadet

DELBERT DOWNS
Band
Boys' Senior Glee

DORIS DRENNON
Choir
Honor Pop Club
Cafeteria Cashier

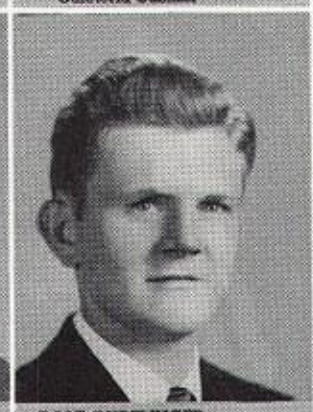
DARLENE DRIGGERS
Spotlight Club (Highland Park)
Y-Teens (Highland Park)
Pep Club

PEGGY DROVETTA
Hostess

WILLIAM DUCKWORTH

JOAN DUFF
Co-op Office Machines

JOE DURAN
Stage Mgr. "The Red Mill"
Host
Usher Club



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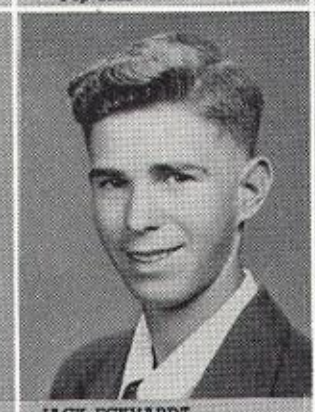
Proctor
Masque and Wig



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Game Cadet
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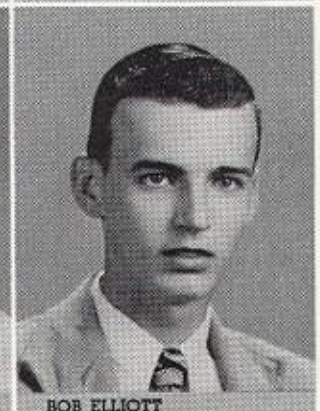
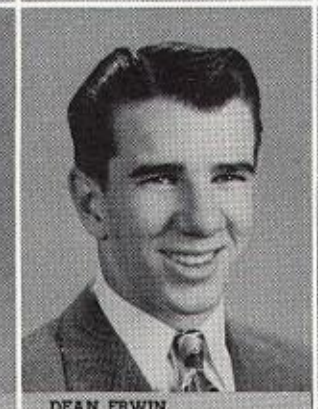


BOB ELLIOTT

MAXINE ELLIOTT
Library Proctor
Hostess
Pep Club

CLAIRE ENSIGN
Pres. Senior Girls' Council
World Staff
Debate Alternate



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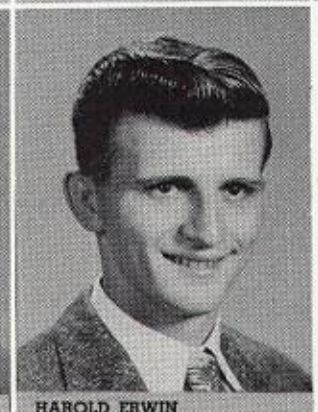

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Boys' Junior Glee

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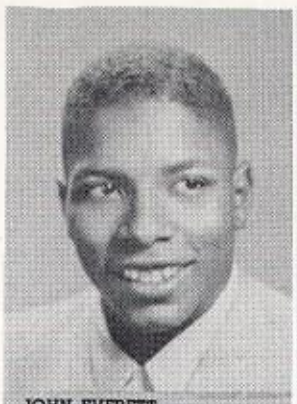

JOHN EVERETT
Football
Basketball
Glee Clubs

BARBARA EYTH
Art
Co-op Office Machines

H. C. FIELDS
Football
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Intramural Basketball

PATTY FINK
Sec.-Treas. Junior Class
Senior Girls' Council
Choir

BARBARA FINLEY
Proctor
Pep Club
All-School Party

JOANNA FISHER
Band-Orchestra
Honor "T"
Proctor

BETTY FLOWERS

LEILA FORD

DORIS FORNEY
Madrigals
Operetta
Office Proctor

SUSAN FORNEY
Senior Girls' Council
Honor Pep Club
Senior Leader

NORMA FOUNTAIN
Nurses' Chemistry

MARIE JANICE FREY
Girls' Senior Glee
Pep Club
Advanced Glee (Highland Park)

CHARLOTTE FRICKEY
Band Majorette
Senior Leader
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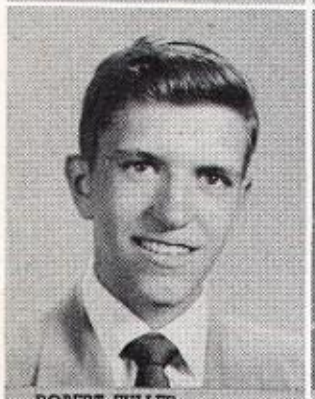
Chairman Honor Pep Club
Choir



ROBERT FULLER
Senior Boys' Council
Boys' Senior Glee
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ELIZABETH GARNER
Honor "T"
World-Sunflower Staffs
Pep Club

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Inkslingers
Assistant Ad-Setter
Vocational Printing

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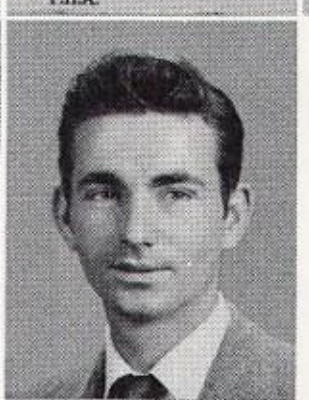

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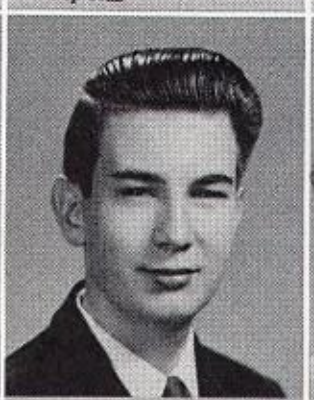
Principal's Committee

FRED GEBHART
Mathematics Major



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Inkslingers
Tro-Joes

SHIRLEY GERRY
Hostess
Sunflower Staff
Class Captain

FRANCES GEYER
Quill and Scroll
Honor Pep Club
World Staff

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JACK GIBSON
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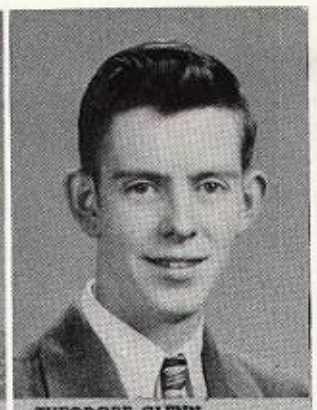

THEODORE GLENN
Band
Orchestra
Movie Proctor

CARL GOFF
Boys' Glee Club

PATRICIA GOFF
Vice-President Co-op Club
Hostess
Junior-Senior Prom

VIRGINIA GOLIGHTLY
Senior Girls' Council
World Staff
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JERRY GOODELL
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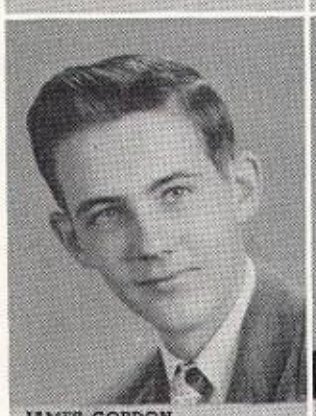
Proctor

ANNE GORBUTT
Senior Girls' Council
"B" Team Cheerleader
Proctor



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Intramural Basketball

ANNA GRAVES
Co-op Office Machines
Pep Club
Proctor

SHIRLEY GRAY
Girls' Senior Glee
Usher Club
Proctor

MARY ELLEN GREBE
Hostess
Band
Orchestra

MARY GRISHAM
Pep Club
Proctor

PHYLLIS GRITTMAN
Office Proctor
Representative Council
Pep Club

PATRICIA GROSS
Co-op Retail Selling

JACK GROTEWOHL
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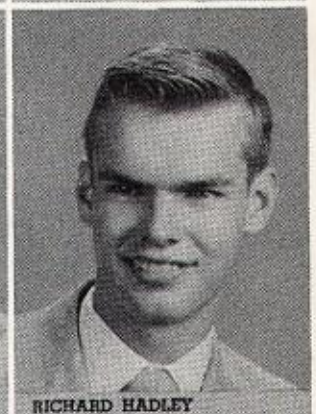

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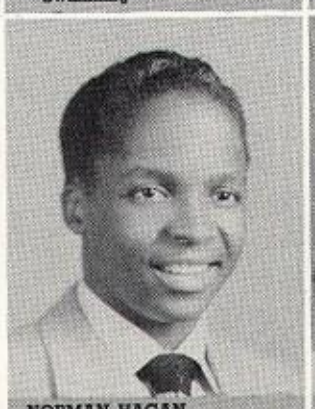
Tennis, Basketball
Sports Editor World



NORMAN HAGAN

PATRICIA HALE
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Choir

KATHRYN HALL
Senior Girls' Council
Honor Pep Club
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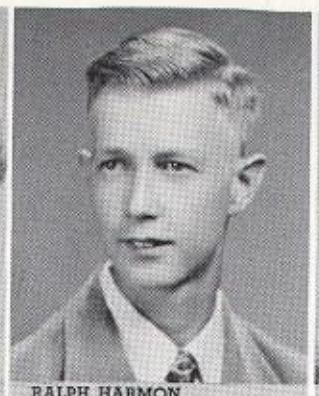

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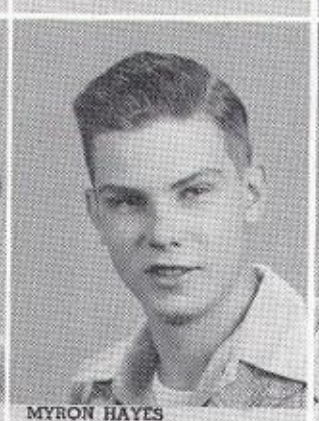

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HARVEY CHARLES HAYS
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Play Cadets
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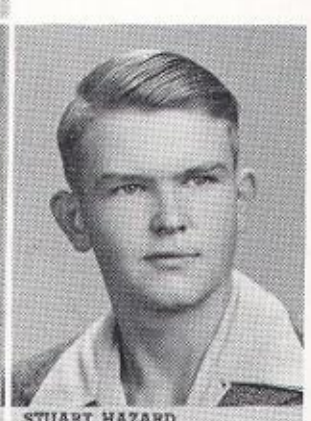

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ANN HEIL
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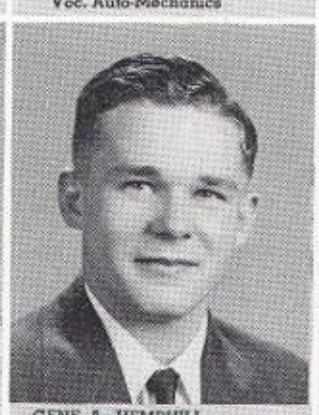

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Welding (Night School)
Physics

MARJORIE HENTON
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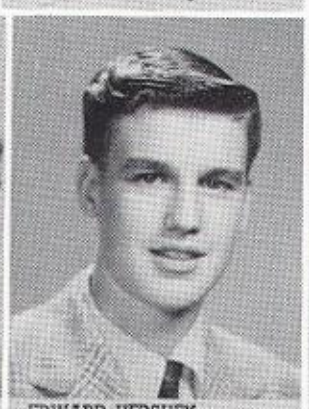
Intramural Football
Host

ELEANOR HERR
Orchestra-Band
World Staff
String Trio



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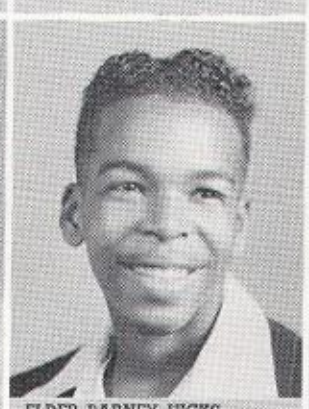

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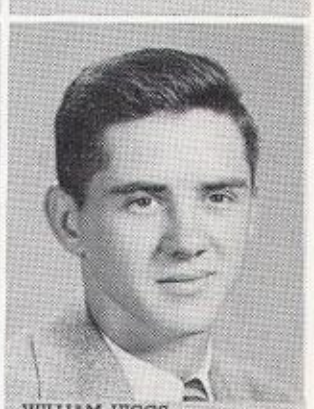

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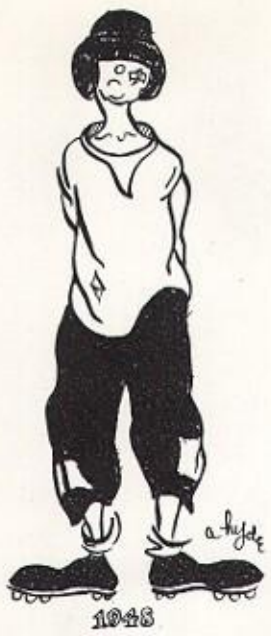

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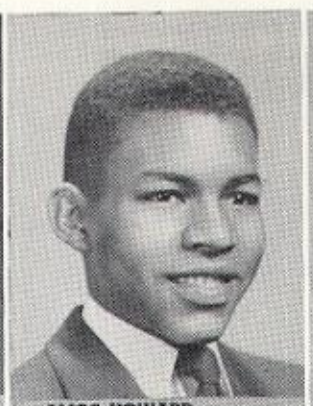

AMOS HOWARD
Jr. Rep. Advisory Council
Boys' Senior Glee
Junior Red Cross

JOYCE HOWARD
Game Cadets Manager
Proctor
Usher Club

SHIRLEY HOWARD
Honor Pep Club
Girls' Senior Glee
World-Sunflower Staffs

DONNA HOWEY
Orchestra
Pep Club

BARBARA HUFF

JOHN HUFFMAN
Choir
Boys' Glee Club

PATRICIA HUGHES
Co-op Retail Selling

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Junior Social Chairman
Thespian

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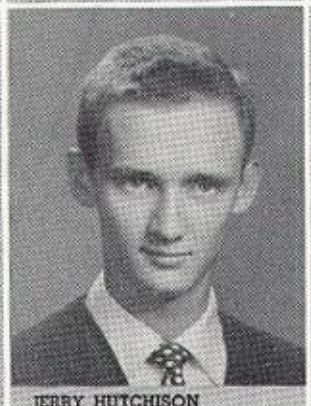
CHRISTINA HUNTER
Hostess



JERRY HUTCHISON
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Senior Boys' Council
Student Council

DICK HUTTON
Football
Basketball
Senior Boys' Council

JAKE HUYETT
Varsity Cadet
Voc. Auto-Mechanics

ANNE HYDE
Art Editor Sunflower
Election Board
All-School Party

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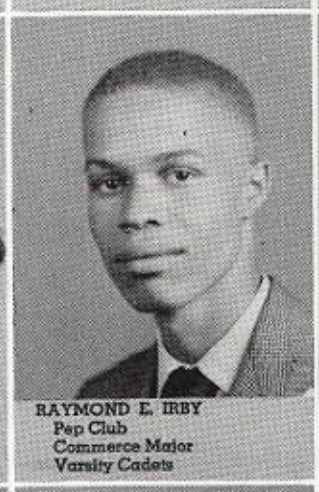

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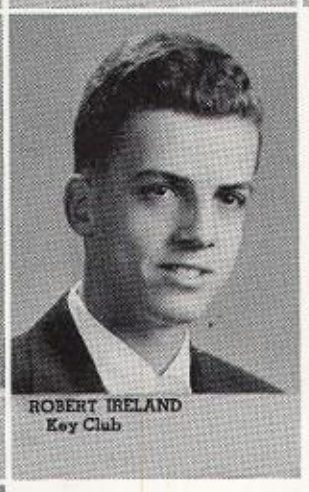
Commerce Major
Varsity Cadets



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Key Club

DOROTHY JACKSON
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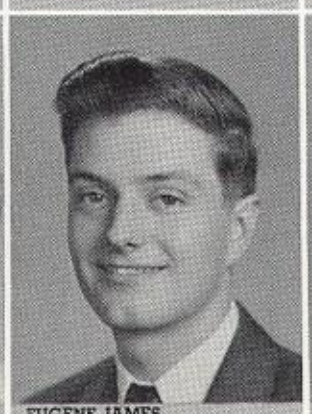
Modern Dance



EUGENE JAMES

MERILYN JOHN
Band
Chorus
Proctor

CARLENE JOHNSON
Band
Orchestra

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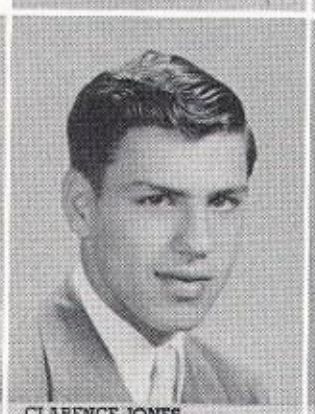
DERRYL JOHNSON
Representative Council

MELVIN JOHNSON
Vocational Welding
Vocational Machine Shop

MERLIN JOHNSON
Voc. Auto-Mechanics

PATRICIA JOHNSON
Senior Girls' Council
World-Sunflower Staffs
Quill and Scroll

PAULINE JULIATTA JOHNSON
Girls' Senior Glee
Varsity Cadets
Election Clerk



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Boxing
Cross Country Running

JAMES L. JONES
Concession Stand Mgr.
Basketball Game Cadet
Representative Council

ZELLA JONES
Office Proctor
Pep Club

JEANNE JOSLIN
Madrigals
Senior Girls' Council
Honor "T"

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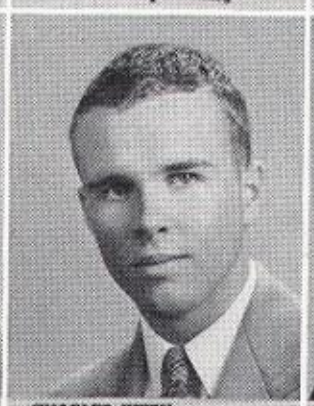
DOUGLAS KAY
Junior Play
All-School Party
Junior-Senior Prom



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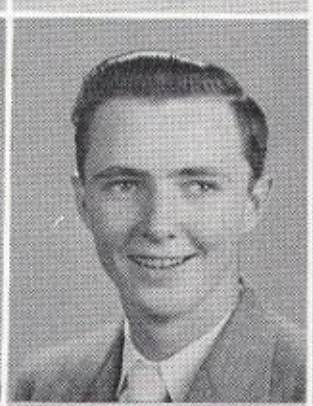
MARILYN KELLING
Band
Usher Club
Hostess



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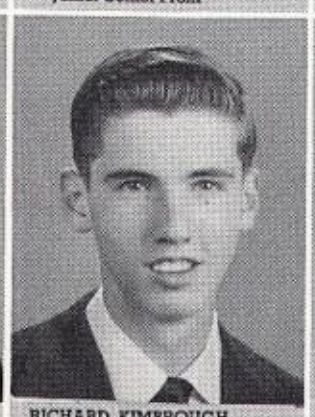

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All-School Party

ANN KING
Senior Girls' Council
Honor Pep Club
Proctor

RUBY KING
Girls' Senior Glee
Pep Club

JO ANN KIRBY
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BILL KLAMM
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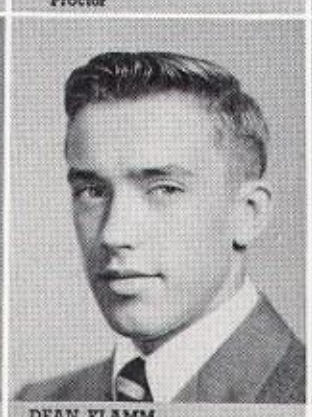

DEAN KLAMM
Photography
Science
Intramural Basketball Captain

BILLIE KLING
Senior Girls' Council
Madrigals
Representative Council

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MARIAN KNIGHT
Senior Leader
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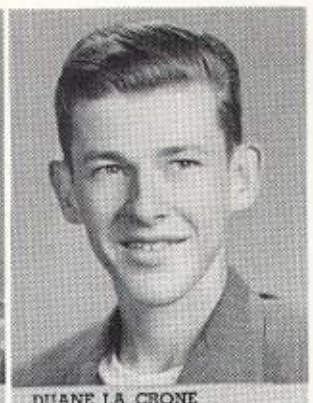

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Vocational Radio

GEORGE LAMB
Editor Spring World
President Quill and Scroll
Dramatics

NANCY LANDON
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ARLENE LANE
Girls' Senior Glee
Pep Club
Hostess

LOIS LANE
Pep Club
F.H.A.

DAVID LAWSON
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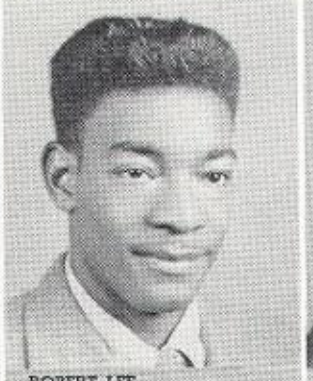
Troy Janes



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RUTH LEE
Home Economics Major

CAROLYN LEMON
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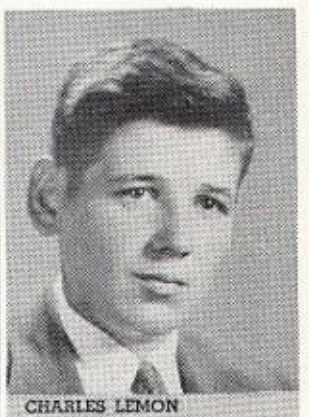
Proctor
Varsity Cadets



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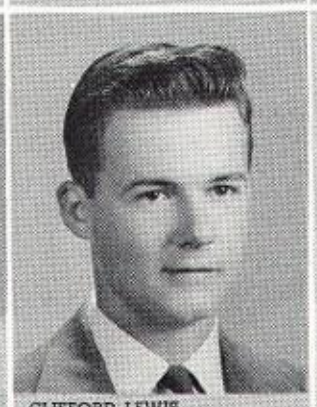

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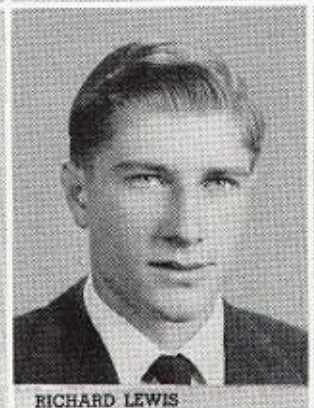
Intramural Sports
Proctor

IRMA LEWIS
Girls' Senior Glee



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SHARON LIETZ
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Pep Club

DONNA LINDBERGH
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Sunflower Staff
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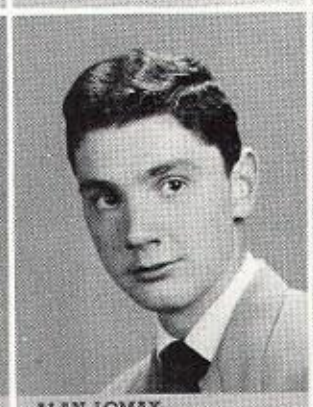

ALAN LOMAX
Student Council Attorney
Ch. Charter Revision Comm.
Orchestra

CAROLYN LOVELESS
Proctor
Hostess
Representative Council

SUE LOVETT
Co-op Retail Selling

Queen Mary

MARY REAM

Queen of the All-School Party

Secretary, National Thespians

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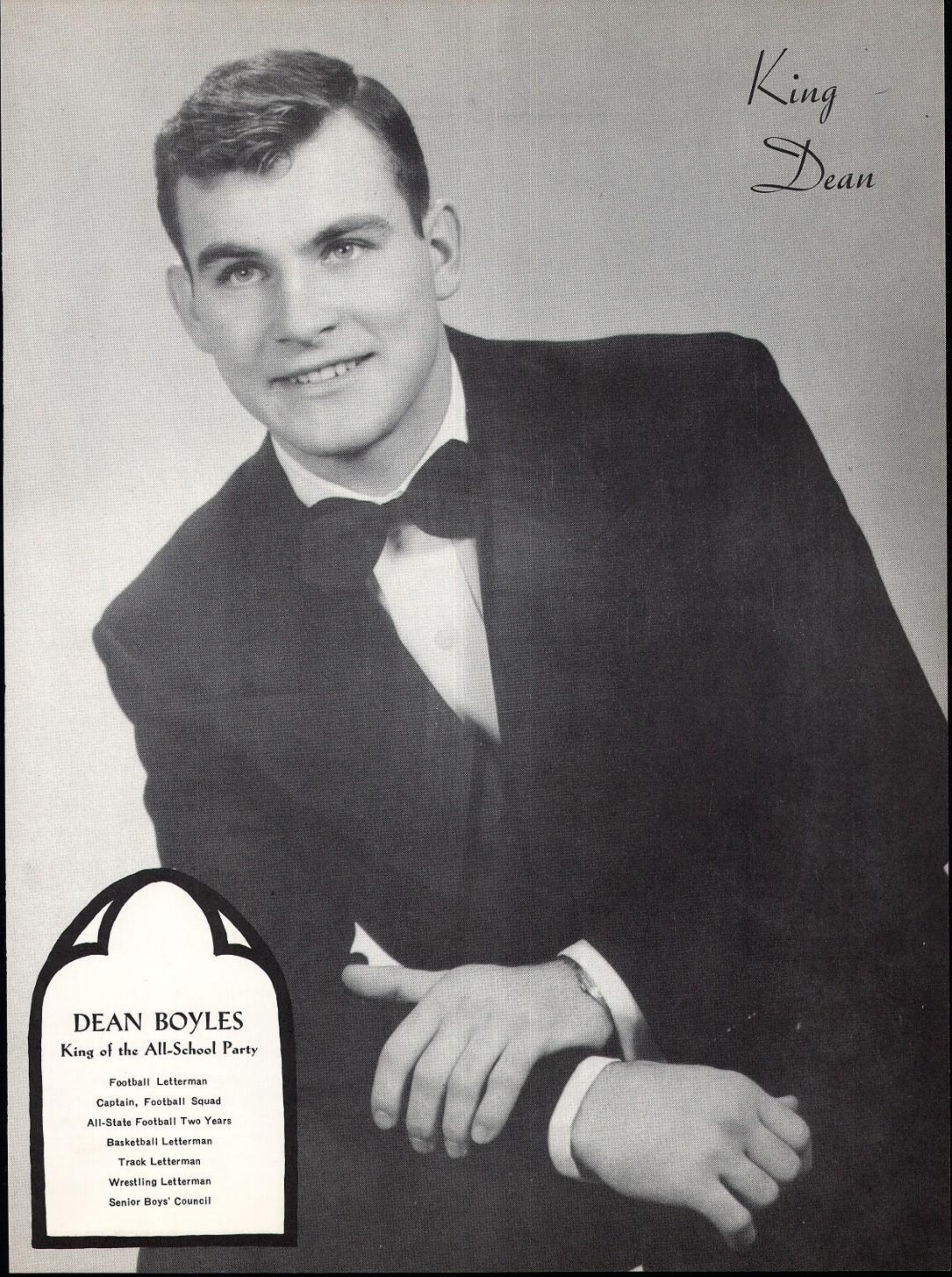
Junior Red Cross Council

Dramatic Lead

Honor "T"

Juvenile Court Board



DEAN BOYLES

King of the All-School Party

Football Letterman

Captain, Football Squad

All-State Football Two Years

Basketball Letterman

Track Letterman

Wrestling Letterman

Senior Boys' Council

PATRICIA LOWTHER
Thespians
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DORIS LUX
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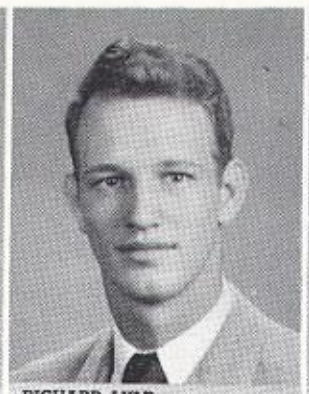
Pep Club



RICHARD LYLE
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Track
Attd. King All-School Party

MARY LYNN

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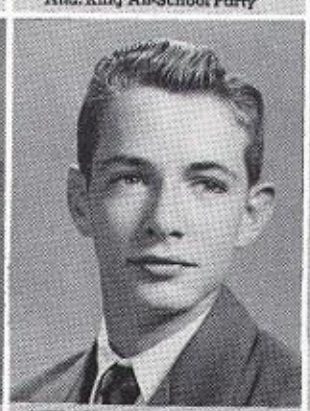
Art Club (Memphis, Tenn.)

JOANN McCLELLAND
Band
Orchestra
Choir



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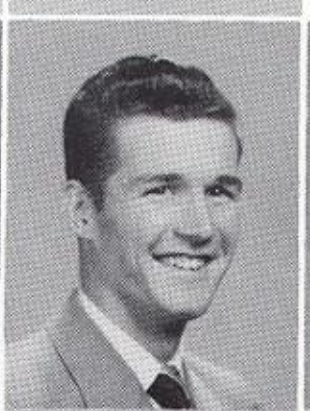
Key Club



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Baseball
Proctor

NADINE McCORMICK
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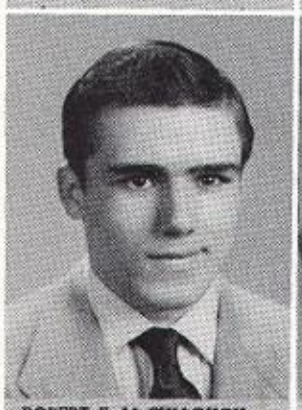
Pep Club



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BONNIE McDONALD
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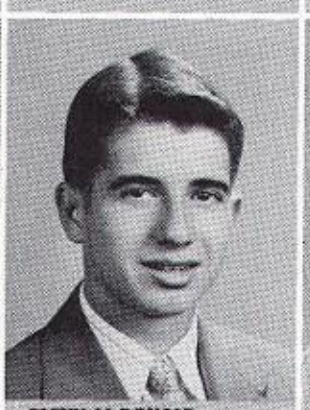

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Red Cross Council
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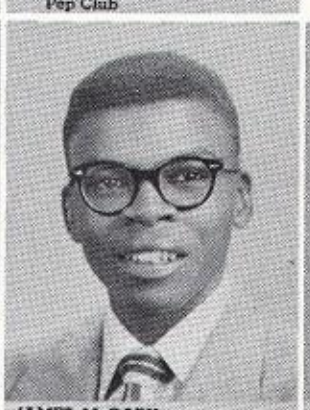

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Orchestra

JEAN McGUIRE
Representative Council
Proctor
Co-op Office Machines

BOB McKINLEY
Golf

DENNIS McMULLEN
U. S. Naval Reserve

CLETA McNINCH
Play Cadets
Co-op Retail Selling
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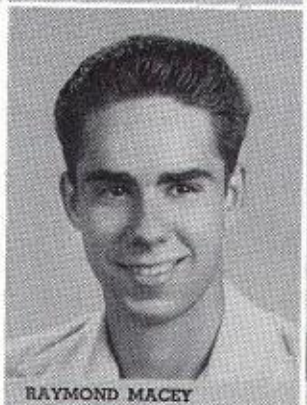
MARJEAN MACEY
Co-op Retail Selling
Proctor
Pep Club



RAYMOND MACEY
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Pep Club

RUTH PARTRIDGE MAI
Nurse's Proctor
Hostess
Girls' State Representative

SHIRLEY MALCOLM
V.-Pres. Troy Jane Board
Senior Leader
Pep Club

MARILYN MANN
Sunflower Lithographing Mgr.
Quill and Scroll
Honor "T"

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ALFRED MANNELL
Key Club
"B" Football
Boys' Junior Glee

NANCY MARSH
Ass't. Editor Sunflower
Sec.-Treas. Quill and Scroll
Senior Girls' Council

PATRICIA MARTIN
Senior Leader
Troy Janes
All-School Party

VIRGINIA MARTINEZ
Pep Club
Nurses' Chemistry
Sports

DON MATHERS
Proctor

MARILYN MAY
Representative Council
Sec. Co-op Office Machines
Concession Stand

SHIRLEY MESSENGER
Junior Glee Club
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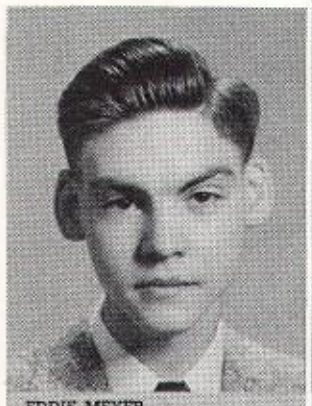

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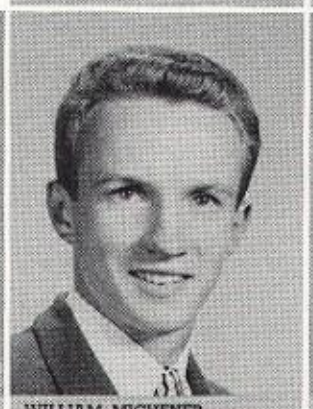
"Sweethearts"
"The Red Mill"



WILLIAM MICHENER
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Football
V.-President "T" Club

PATRICIA MILLER
Secretary Point System
Proctor
All-School Party

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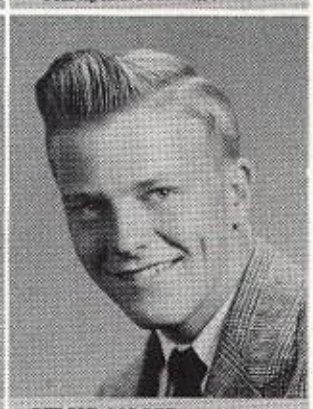
Girls' Chorus



GERALD MOORE
Swimming
Mechanical Drawing
Host

JOYCE LEE MOORE
Office Practice

MARGARET MOORE
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CARLENE MORGAN
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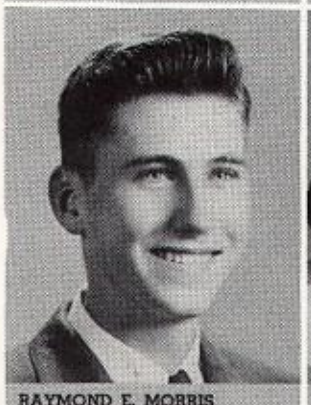

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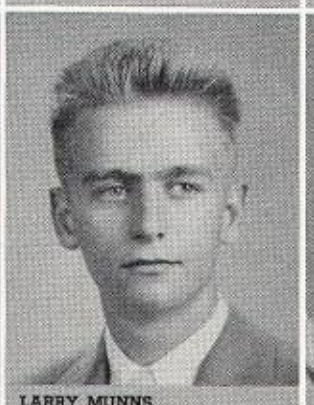

LARRY MUNNS
Swimming Manager
"T" Club

BEVERLY MYERS
Glee Club
Game Cadets
Co-op Office Machines

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SENIOR

CLASS OF SENIOR 1950

CLIFFORD MYERS
Vocational Welding
Varsity Cadets

JO ANN MYRICK
Band
Library Proctor

PATTY MYRICK
Co-op Office Machines

WILLIAM NASON
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CARMEN NEAS
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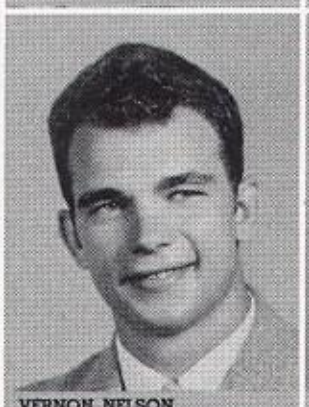

VERNON NELSON
Varsity Cadets
Proctor
Principal's Committee

YVONNE KAY NELSON
World Art Editor
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Pep Club

DELORES JEAN NESKE
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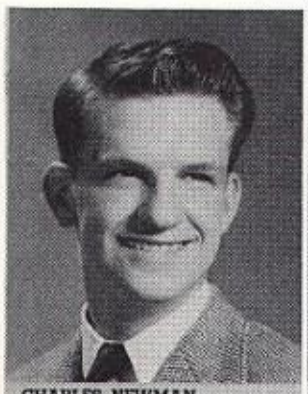
V.-Pres. Bowling Club
(Englewood, Colo.)



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Mechanical Drawing

RICHARD NYSTROM
Red Cross Council
Masque and Wig

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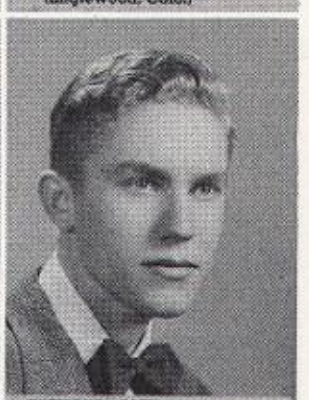

RICHARD OVERMAN
Mechanical Drawing

NORMA OWEN
Attd. Homecoming Queen
Orchestra Bus. Manager
Band

JUNIOR PADILLA
Treasurer Key Club

BERNICE PALMER
Office Proctor
Pep Club

BETTY PALMER
Band
Orchestra
Girls' Ensemble

MARY ANNE PARAMORE
Soc. Ch. Senior Class
Senior Girls' Council
All Time Honor "T"

TOM PARKER
President Thespians
Swimming

BARBARA PASCHALL
Nurses' Chemistry

LEWIS EDWARD PATRICK

NANCY CAROL PATTON
Girls' Senior Glee
Proctor
Hostess

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RONALD PAYNE
Vocational Machine Shop

MARIE PAYTON
Senior Girls' Council
V.-President Pep Club
Representative Council

WARREN PEARSON
Inkslingers
Intramural Basketball

ELDON PEDIGO
Band
Trojanaires
World Staff

DOROTHY PELTON
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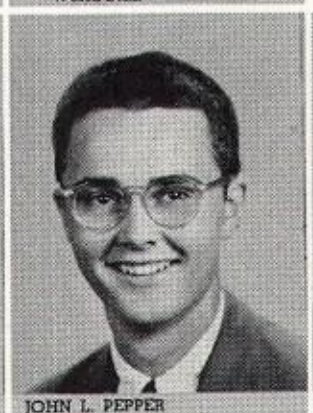
Attendant Rambler Homecoming
Rambler Pep Club
Hostess



JOHN L. PEPPER
Football
Library Proctor

JOHN PERRY
President Band
Thespians
All-School Party

JO ANN PETERSON
Girls' Senior Glee
Pep Club
Concession Stand

BILL PFEFFER
Wrestling
Voc. Auto-Mechanics

GENEVIEVE PHELPS
Attendance Proctor

DARLENE PHILLIPS
Troy Janes
Senior Leader
Pep Club

PATRICIA PIATT
Senior Girls' Council
Thespians
Choir

JOEL PICKER

GEORGE PINGER
Band

MARY HELEN PLATT
Band
Pep Club
Co-op Office Machines

DARRELLA POINTER
Masque and Wig

DORIS POWELL
Co-op Office Machines
Play Cadets
Proctor

MARJORIE PRESSMAN
Bus. Manager Sunflower
Senior Girls' Council
Quill and Scroll

VIRGINIA PROUD
Pep Club
Hostess

JEAN PUFFER

RAUL RAMOS
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LEAH RANSOM
Girls' Senior Glee
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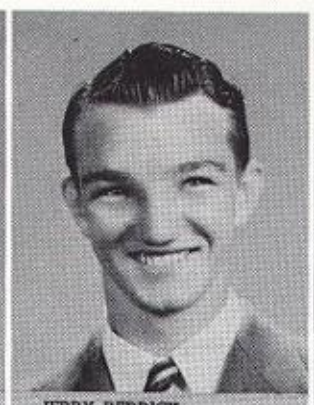
MARY REAM
Secretary Thespians
Junior Red Cross Council
Senior Girls' Council



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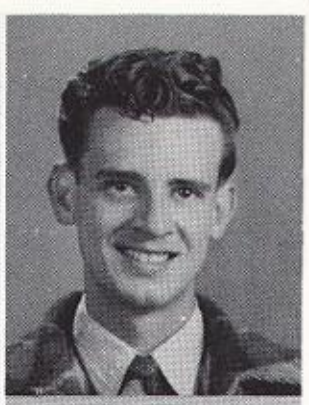
Intramural Basketball
Band
Printing

MARVENE RENFRO



CHARLES REVELLE

BERNADINE RICH
Masque and Wig
Pep Club
Proctor

LOIS RICHARDS
Senior Leader

DAVID RIDGWAY
Inkslingers
Printing

ROBERT M. RIEDEL
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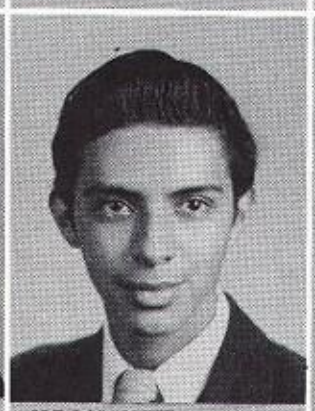

JOE RODRIGUEZ
Host

MARJORIE ROE
Band
Mechanical Staff World
Printing

SHIRLEY ROGERS
Proctor
Pep Club

MARCENE ROMIG
Representative Council
Treasurer Co-op Club
Co-op Office Machines

VICKI ROSENWALD
Treasurer Pep Club
Juvenile Ct. Advisory Board
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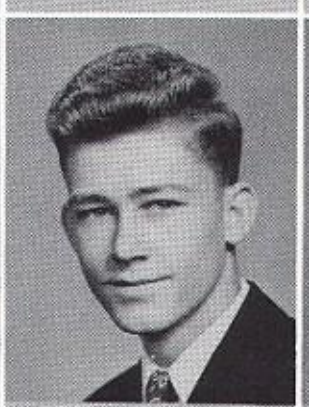
Intramural Basketball
Intramural Football

HUGH RUSSELL
Intramural Basketball
All-School Party
"C" Team Football

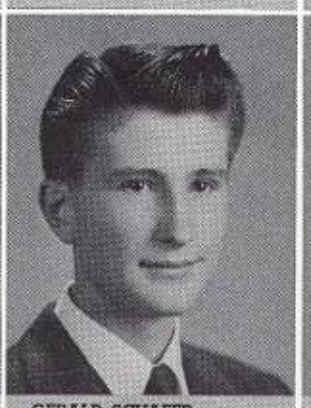


ERNEST SAGE
Co-op Retail Selling

JOHN SALISBURY
President Masque and Wig
Representative Council
Honor "T"

CONSTANCE SAWYER
Senior Girls' Council
Nurses' Proctor
Quill and Scroll

CONNIE SCHAD
Girls' Senior Glee
World Staff
Pep Club



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Golf
Mathematics Major

JACQUELINE SCHLEGEL
Pep Club
Girls' Chorus

EDITH SCHMID
Representative Council
Honor Pep Club
Office Proctor

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PHYLLIS SCHMIDT
Office Proctor
Girls' Senior Glee
Pep Club

ROWLAND SCHOWENGERDT
Band
Mechanical Drawing

DARLENE SCHRADER
Choir
Masque and Wig
Honor "T"

RAY SCHREINER
Vocational Photography

ROSALIE SCHROER
Hostess

CONNIE SCOTT
Senior Girls' Council
Concession Stand
Representative Council

SHIRLEY SCOTT
Honor Pep Club
Choir
Sunflower Business Staff

TREVA SECKINGER
Nurses' Chemistry
Hostess

DONNA RAE SELF
Girls' Senior Glee
Proctor
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SYLVIA SHEPARDSON

DIANE SHIELDS
Usher Club
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JEAN SHRIMPLIN

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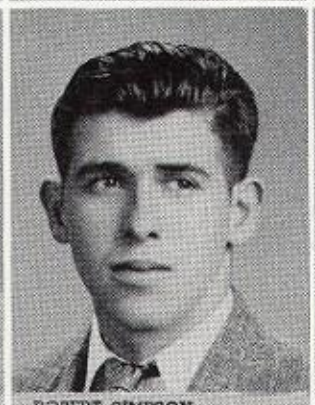

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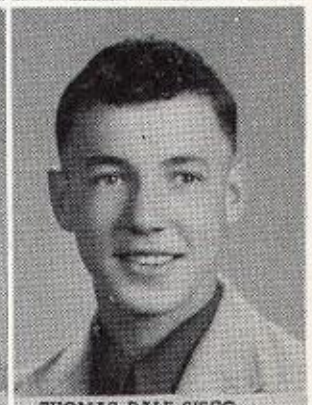
Co-op Club



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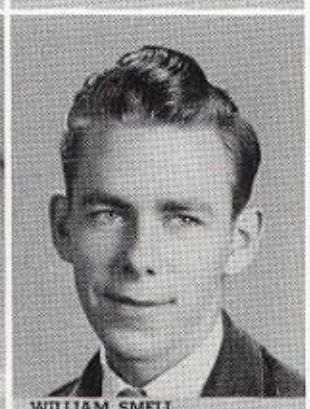
Mechanical Drawing
Vocational Radio

ELLEN SKINNER
Winner Science Award
Science Proctor
Honor Pep Club

MARY LEE SLATTEN
Girls' Junior Glee
Nurse's Proctor
Play Cadet



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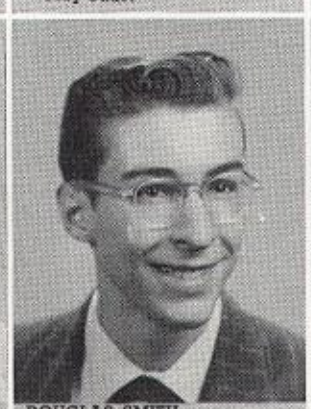
Tennis
Representative Council

JANICE SMELTZER
Concession Stand
Snack Bar
Varsity Cadet

ANNALEE SMITH
Orchestra-Ensemble
Honor "T"
Hostess

Tommy Sisco

ANNA MAE SMITH



DOUGLAS SMITH
Band
Masque and Wig
All-School Party

GERALDINE SMITH
Proctor
Co-op Retail Selling

PHYLLIS MAXINE SMITH
Proctor
Choir

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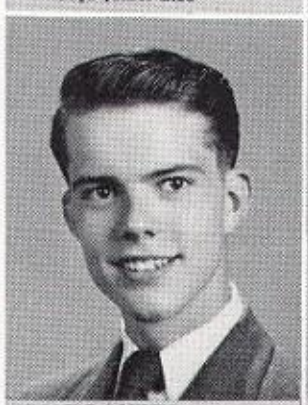
ROBERT E. SMITH
"The Red Mill"
Choir
Boys' Junior Glee

CONRAD SNELLER
Golf
"T" Club

LOIS SNYDER
Fine Arts
Pep Club
Hostess

MARTHA SNYDER
Girls' Senior Glee
World Staff
Concession Stand

DOLORES SOLIS
Hostess
Pep Club
Latin-American Club



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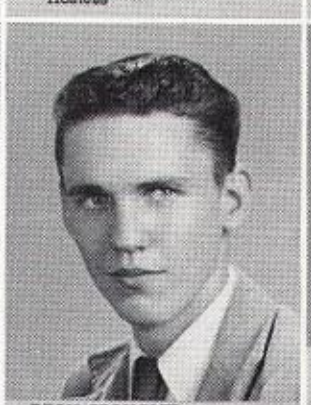
Madrigals
Track
"T" Club

DARREL SOUTHARD



DEAN SPANGLER
Fall Track

JOAN SPARKS
Representative Council
Proctor

DERALD SPICER
Varsity Cadet
Boys' Senior Glee
Principal's Committee

SHIRLEY SPRADLEY
Honor Pep Club
Vice-President F.H.A.

IRENE STADLER
Co-op Retail Selling

ESTHER STEFOS
Swimming
Home Economics

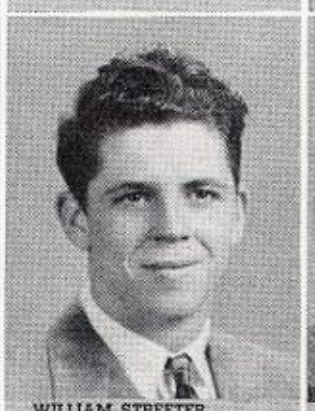
LUCILLE STEINMEYER
Girls' Senior Glee
Pep Club
Concession Stand

RICHARD D. STEWART
Co-op Office Machines
Band

JERRY STITT
Vocational Machine Shop

NANCY STOCKWELL
Girls' Senior Glee
Representative Council
Library Proctor

LEWIS STREETER
Intramural Football
Intramural Basketball
Intramural Track

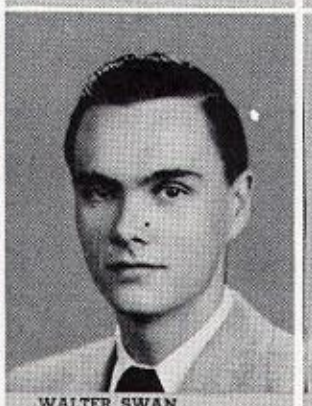


WILLIAM STREETER
Intramural Basketball
Industrial Arts

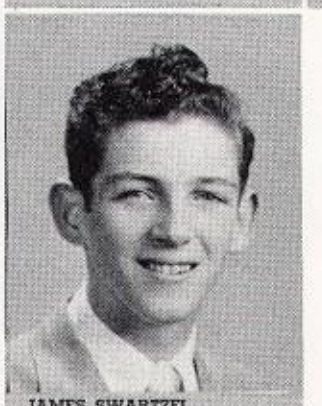
RALPH SURPLUSS
Football

LEA SUTER
Girls' Senior Glee
Lunch Proctor

DORIS SUTTON
Co-op Office Machines



WALTER SWAN
Host
All-School Party
Junior-Senior Prom



JAMES SWARTZEL
Band
Orchestra
National Guard

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DAVID TAYLOR
Vocational Welding
Track
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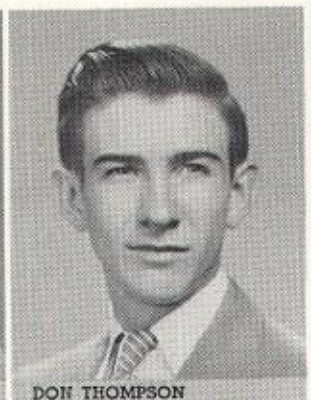
BILL TAYLOR
Trade School

CATHEY THAYER
Pep Club
Reporter—California



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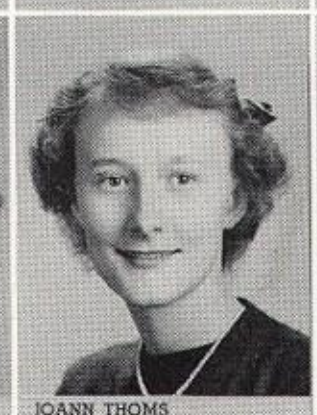
MARY THOMPSON
Pep Club
Co-op Retail Selling
Proctor



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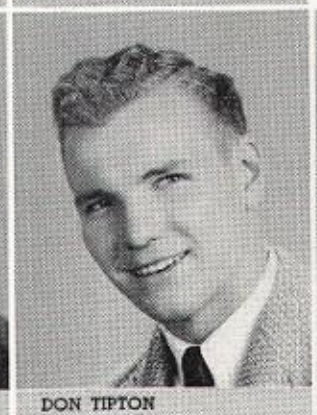
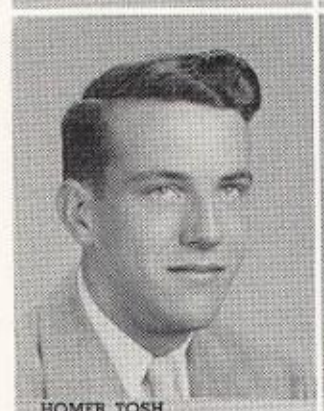
Co-op Officer
Varsity Cadet
Proctor

JANE TICHENOR
Masque and Wig
World Staff
Majorette



DON TIPTON
Basketball
Representative Council
Proctor

KRANA TKATCH
Library Proctor
Usher Club



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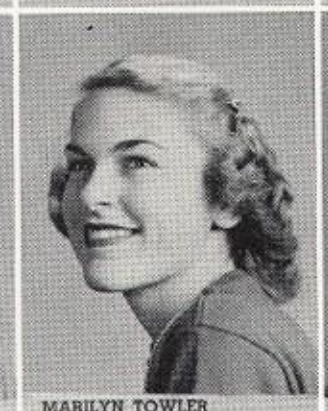
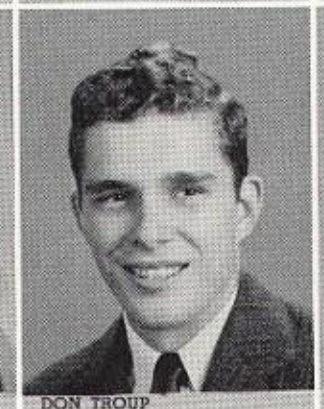


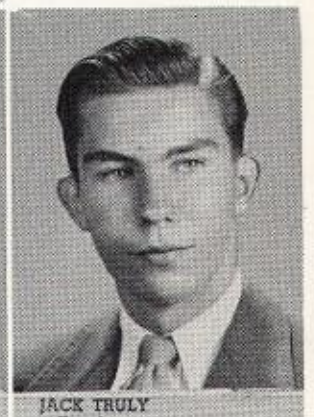
MARILYN TOWLER
Senior Girls' Council
Election Clerk
Thespians



DON TROUP
V.-President Senior Class
Football
Senior Boys' Council

SALLY TRUEBLOOD
Proctor
Pep Club
Honor "T"

MARY JANE TRULOVE
Cheerleader
Senior Girls' Council
Attd. Queen All-Sch. Party



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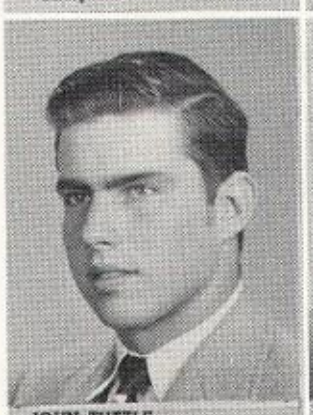
Tennis
Intramural Basketball
Host



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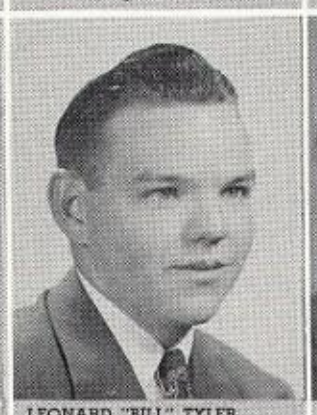
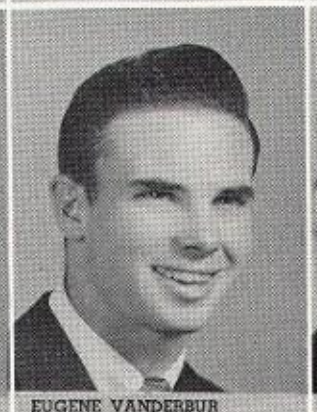
Football
Attd. King All-Sch. Party
Senior Boys' Council



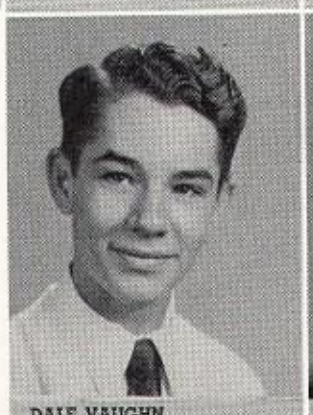
LEONARD "BILL" TYLER
Vocational Electricity

LORETTA UNREIN
Home Economics



EUGENE VANDERBUR
Junior Press
Thespians
Proctor

LUPE VARGAS
Hostess



DALE VAUGHN
Mechanical Drawing

CAROLYN VIGNERON
Junior-Senior Prom
All-School Party
World Staff

MARIMAE VOILAND
Operetta
Junior-Senior Prom
Girls' Senior Glee

WALTER WALDSCHMIDT
Wood Working

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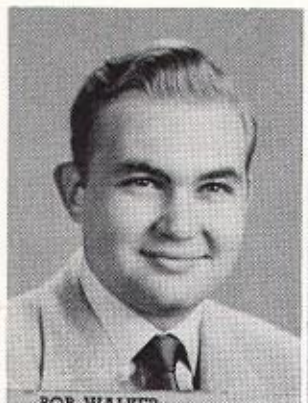


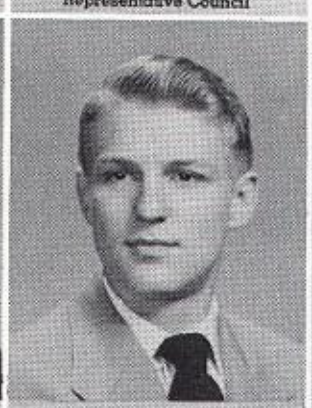
BOB WALKER
Junior-Senior Prom
All-School Party

PHYLLIS WARREN
Choir
Hostess
Representative Council

BETTY WEAVER
Senior Girls' Council
Library Proctor
Choir

BETTY WEBER
Representative Council
Student Play Director
Thespians

MICKEY WELTY
Senior Girls' Council
Honor Pep Club
Proctor



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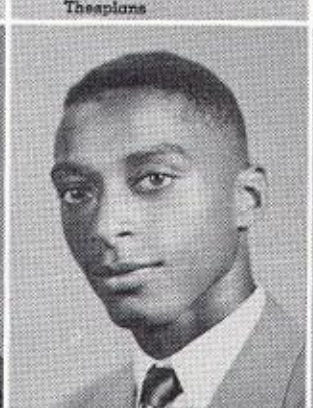
Baseball
Senior Leader
Intramural Basketball

SHIRLEY WESTLUND
Choir
Play Cadet
Pep Club



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Basketball
Track

DONA JEAN WIERMAN
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Pep Club

PATRICIA WILDERMAN
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DUANE WILKINSON
Representative Council
Library Proctor
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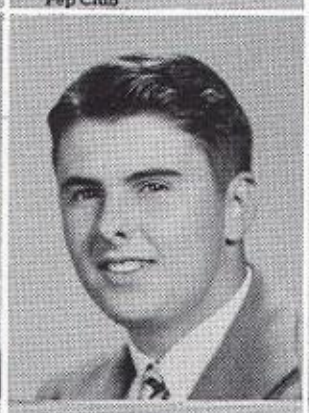


ROBERT M. WILLIAMS
Usher Club
Proctor

SAMUEL WILSON
Stage Craft

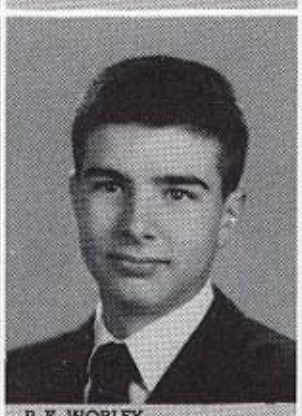
BETTY WINNEY
Stage Craft

LEE WISE
Nurse's Proctor
World Business Secretary
Girls' Senior Glee

BARBARA WOLFORD
Orchestra
Co-op Office Machines
Pep Club

BETTY WOLFORD
Co-op Machines

GEORGE ALLEN WOODWARD
Free Reading
Woodwork



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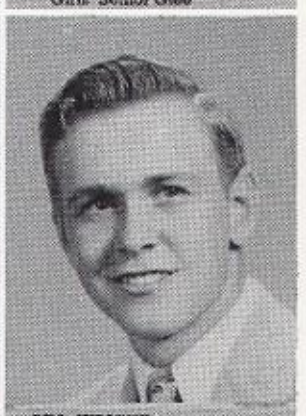
Band
Honor "T"



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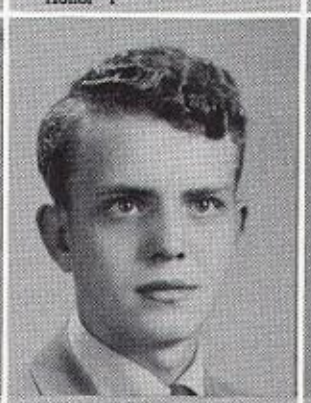
Debate Team
Boys' Senior Glee
Stagecraft

ROBERT ZIMMERMAN
Art Crafts
Printing

CLYDE ZIRKLE
Vocational Welding



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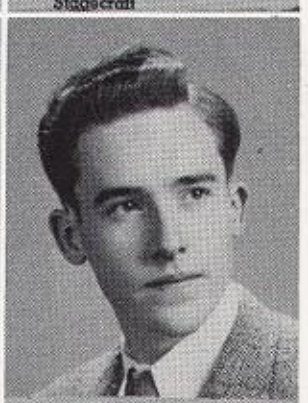
Vocational Radio
Varsity Cadet



CHARLES AXTON
Music
World Staff
Junior Play

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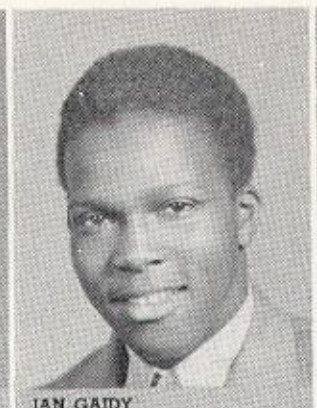
MARLENE DOUGLAS
Pep Club
Girls' Chorus

BEVERLY FISHER
Honor Pep Club
Co-op Office Practice

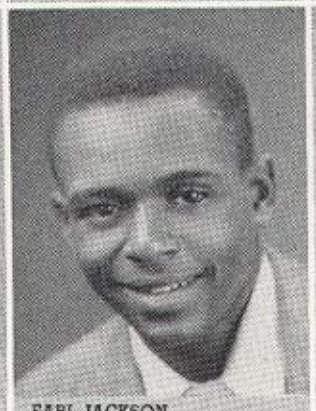


IAN GAIDY
Football
Track
Boys' Senior Glee

HUGH GROENDYCKE
World Editor
Student Council
Boys' Senior Glee

JOANN HAFLICH
Concession Stand
Representative Council
Proctor

MARGIE HINCKLE



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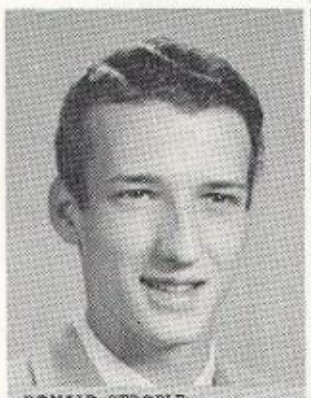
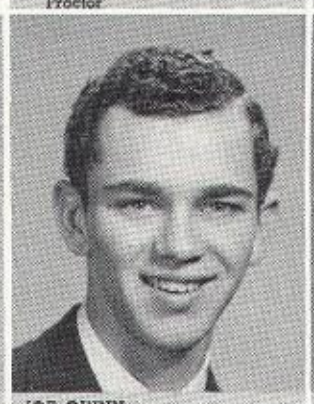
Snack Bar
Varsity Cadets
Concession Stand



RONALD STROBLE



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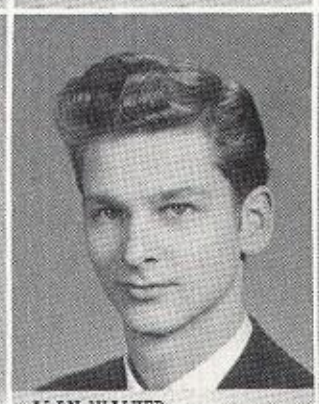
Mechanical Drawing
Tro-Joes



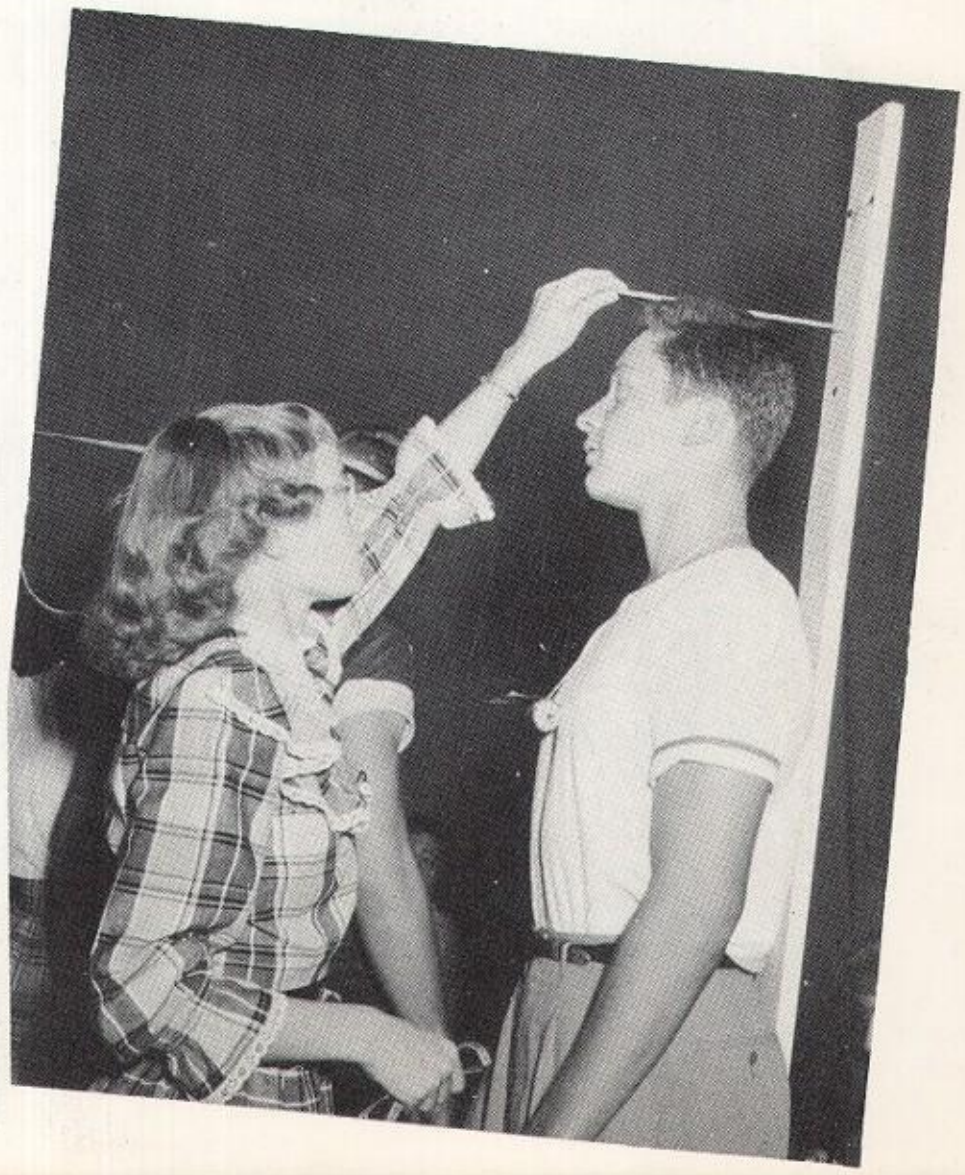
ALAN WALKER
Band
Boys' Senior Glee
Dawson's Dance Band

HELEN WARDELL
Senior Girls' Council
Troy Jane Board
Alternate Representative Council

LARRY WILLIAMS
Host
Boys' Senior Glee
Art

Right: In preparation for that important day, Jack Grotewohl is measured for his cap and gown by Shirley Beach.

Below: To symbolize Kansas State College, Phyllis Addy costumed as the traditional Wildcat is exhibited by Joanne and Jeanine Bunge during the College Day Assembly.



After viewing a fast game of football, Trojans rush to varsity.

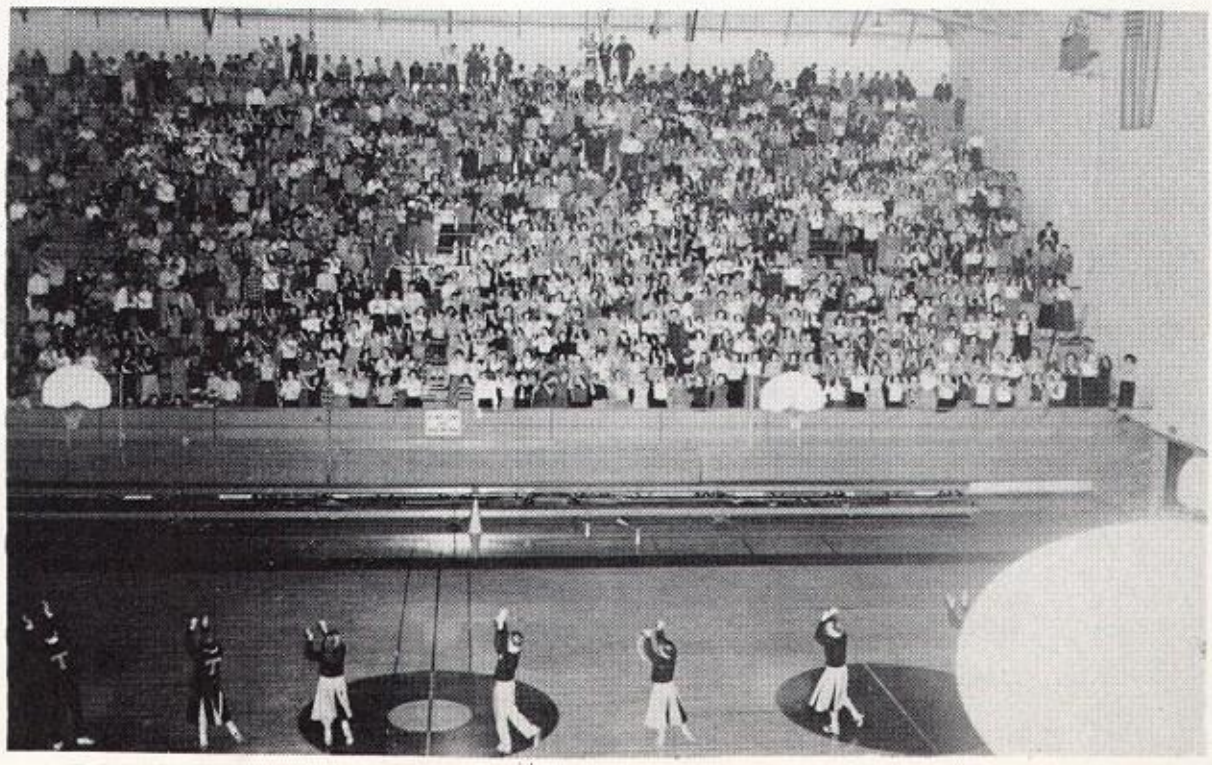
Left: At last, College Day!

Students fill the teachers cafeteria to get necessary lockers.

Jerry "Hogan" Pierce dances with Joy Clanton during the K.J.A.Y. varsity.

Outside and inside
TROJAN FUNSTERS

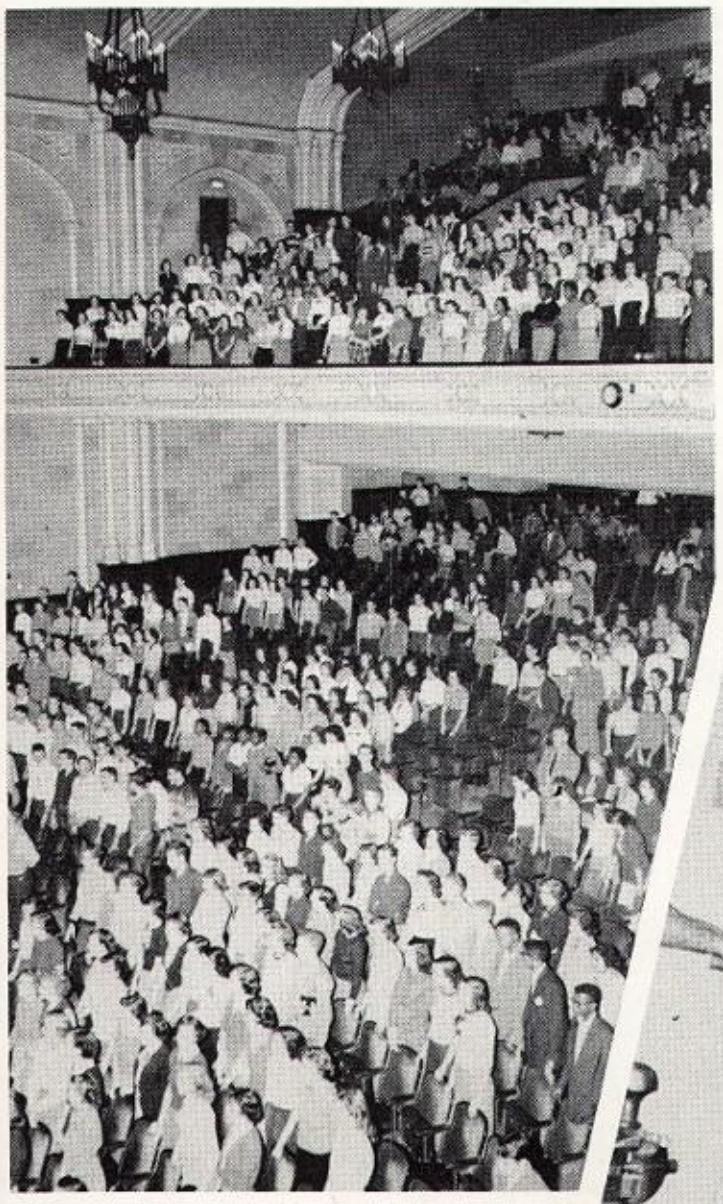
Trojan cheerleaders build up pep for the forthcoming basketball game.



Phil Brent (left) and Don Brown (below), Sunflower photographers, check their equipment.

Eager dancers fill the cafeteria for after-game varsity.

Trojan pepsters sing school song before the State Tournament.



Art craft students watch a metal smith at the Kansas University Art Convention.

From work to relaxation

ASSEMBLIES

Teachers Robert McKibben, Miss Ethel Frizell, and Robert Gray, "next year's cheerleaders," practice for the coming sports events.

Rodney Brown mixes concoctions.

Chemistry students show mixed emotions as blasts rock Ted McCoy.

Above: The melody of "Temptation" floats across the auditorium as Jerry Dawson and his band make assembly history.

Right: "L'il Fag" Elwaine Pomeroy, Drama Announcer Harper Dougan, and "Portia" Virginia Bartos dramatize a daytime serial during the radio broadcasting assembly.

Scenes in the future and new horizons

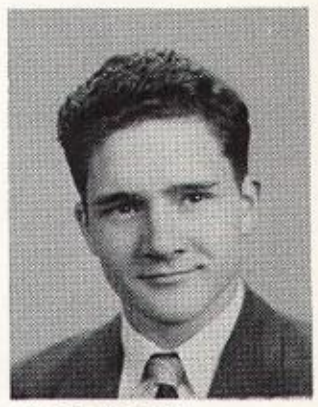
THE JUNIOR CLASS

Suddenly we Juniors were at the end of another year, ready to pull up stakes and move on, assuming responsibilities as we went and leaving behind us wonderful memories of elections, tournaments, varsities, and all the things that made the year the most exciting yet.

Sincerely trying, we had met our new jobs and carried them out as best we knew how. During the football season we had sponsored a varsity; then came our Junior Play, and finally that most memorable occasion, the Junior-Senior Prom. We also had a hand in "Janie," "The Red Mill," and the All-School Party.

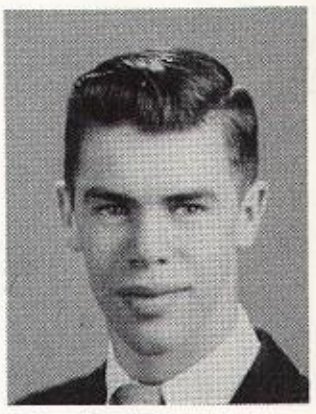
As we looked back through the window of our Junior year, we realized that we could not have accomplished these things without the assistance and enthusiasm of every student. Because we were only a little distance from our Sophomore escapades, and yet so near to attaining the glory of Seniordom, we could understand both groups. Perhaps our real job as Juniors was that of unifying the life of Troy.

Bob Brooks
Vice-President



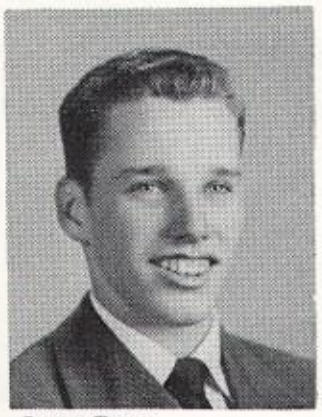
Keith Schulte
President

Ruth Cowie
Social Chairman

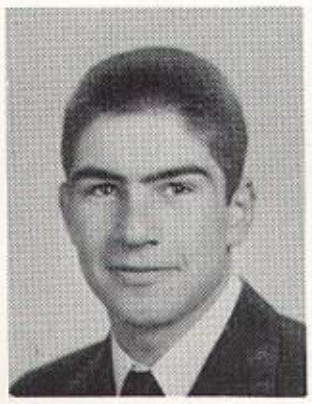


Don Jordon
Secretary-Treasurer

Cynthia Davis
Representative



Jerry Bray
Representative



Ted McCoy
Representative

Seated: Ruth Cowie, Miss Amy Swenson, sponsor; Cynthia Davis.
Standing: Bob Brooks, Jerry Bray, Ted McCoy, Keith Schulte, Don Jordon.

REPRESENTATIVES

Back row: Rodney Smith, Lee Jamerson, Harry Ives.
Front row: Mary Eagan, Joan Bennett, Jeannie Hunter, Julia Oliver.

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Back Row: C. Parks, J. Hallewell, C. Nelson, B. Davenport, F. Willis, D. Hill, R. Smith, D. Hinken, S. Anspaugh, K. Hummel, B. McCarter.
Fourth Row: E. Baer, C. Spicka, D. Zirkle, J. Vausbinder, C. Ewing, R. Mabon, M. Sage, B. Raines, R. Davenport, M. Devine, B. Barnes, B. Gabler, B. Breithaupt, J. Munk, R. Wingerson, J. Bray, R. Gatewood, A. Goodwin.
Third Row: J. Eis, R. Heinsohn, B. Baldwin, E. Hockenbarger, M. Grubb, B. Winn, D. Haegert, J. Quall, C. Valley, W. Suddarth, E. Iwig, P. Newbrey, B. Jaramillo, C. Cole, B. Royer, L. Scales.
Second Row: V. Underwood, J. Macey, M. Maddox, J. Oliver, M. Jasperson, C. J. Davis, B. Iott, J. Knapp, J. Wilson, B. Frandle, J. Pollom, B. Turner, N. Mulford, B. Mulanax, J. Howard, R. Abcrumbia, E. Lee, D. Abbott.
Front Row: N. Laird, V. Rawlins, B. Luce, C. Walker, R. Ladner, N. Baird, H. Douglas, D. Canfield, D. Cain, M. Eagan, M. Nason, P. Cain, G. Goslin, N. McAdam, M. Foster, A. Rocha.

Homerooms—Fowler, Kelly, McCauley.

Back Row: B. Eichkorn, R. Melton, D. Bennett, B. Whitfield, E. Ridgeway, C. Slawson, D. Liles, G. Crocker, T. Howard, B. Burgoyne, W. Crawford, B. Randal, B. Fugate, V. Artzer.
Fourth Row: J. Lutz, J. Bennett, J. Kramer, J. Slater, L. Christian, D. Howard, R. Johnson, J. Myer, J. Young, W. Dutt, D. Butcher, R. Ladberry, J. Gardenhire, M. Vargas, L. Ransom, P. Palmer, L. Jamerson, H. Ives.
Third Row: E. Derby, C. Smetzer, R. Duran, J. Slaughter, M. Alexander, P. Miller, A. Foree, L. Hawkins, H. Clardy, M. Anderson, D. Butts, D. Baker, D. Irvin, B. Swader, B. Macy, D. Ohse.
Second Row: J. Bennett, R. Anderson, S. Miller, D. Slack, L. Fenn, K. Urlacher, W. Easter, L. Absher, J. Spencer, C. Wymore, M. Swanson, C. Krehbiel, M. Taggart, A. Davis, D. Skinner, M. Kintz, H. Trimble, D. Griswold.
Front Row: D. Lewis, D. Myers, P. Frommer, J. Stitt, R. Frost, M. Corona, E. Burton, I. Hale, E. L. Fox, B. Cross, J. Hunter, P. Hughes, J. Crook, L. Zuniga, B. Rust, D. Freeborn, M. Hutton.

Homerooms—Frizell, Moulden, Nall.

Back Row: R. Kibler, D. Sodergren, J. Hogue, T. Coolidge, T. McCoy, E. Pomeroy, R. Ginavan, C. Thompson, K. Stewart.
Fourth Row: B. Smith, E. Hoffman, R. Soucy, A. Brodecker, D. Huey, T. Rogers, H. Dougan, R. Kohlschreiber, C. Hodges, W. Fountain, P. Munoz, E. Hodison, K. Brinnon, J. Weese, P. Mathews, D. Jordan, D. Soulen.
Third Row: K. Reeves, B. Powell, G. Cowger, S. Munoz, L. Flickinger, W. Honeyman, R. Bryant, J. Fox, B. Bryant, E. Holtwick, J. Gordon, P. Cook, A. R. Conners, J. Cowhick, G. Hoppas, D. Carson, D. Overman, J. Dawson.
Second Row: J. Bruhns, S. Bruton, B. Hawkins, D. Bristow, L. Snyder, D. Lawrence, E. Scott, D. Brock, D. Dolezilek, M. Payne, D. Martin, M. R. Rodell, K. Knauss, N. Munoz, S. Arbaiza, P. Dixon, C. Arnold, J. Arnold.
Front Row: P. Starkel, P. Hopkins, E. Carroll, C. Johnson, D. Keim, G. Vogel, S. Critchlow, D. Allen, J. Peck, M. Hansen, J. Bell, J. McDonald, D. Barrett, R. Cowie, C. Cowger, J. Woodworth, J. Woods.

Homcrooms—Rue, Seelye, Hanley.

Back Row: C. Moore, W. Wheeler, J. Holthusen, A. Luna, V. Hamby, R. Schreiner, B. Bliss, J. Holstine, P. Wood, R. Hewitt, B. Boon, D. Peyton, G. Henton, T. Hartman.
Fourth Row: G. Wolfley, T. Charay, C. Stalker, E. McNeill, R. Moore, D. Smith, F. Spicer, B. Brous, R. Tice, L. Shepard, R. Johnson, B. Reece, R. Roach, C. Boyd, C. Henry, C. Coker, E. Beasley.
Third Row: R. Priest, R. Donnelly, W. Johnson, B. Brooks, F. Brown, T. Arnold, J. Denton, B. Anderson, M. Brown, C. Pierce, B. Taylor, D. Baker, D. McMullen, R. Thomas, J. Bearce, M. Messick, R. Sheppard.
Second Row: E. Bohnsack, S. Boies, P. Rogers, D. Smith, B. Losey, S. Klein, J. Koehlar, J. Brooks, D. Letrud, C. White, M. Holst, D. Derrington, S. Dexter, M. Clark, J. Murphy, L. Spencer, M..Bowers, B. Powell.
Front Row: J. Spencer, W. Holmes, P. Stanley, B. Couch, J. Gronner, L. Gilbert, B. Smith, B. Harrison, S. Richetti, B. Shaner, A. Miller, M. Shoemaker, J. Chatfield, B. Lynn, M. Haskell, J. Hartzell, J. Hendricks.

Homerooms—Rieniets, Gray, Adams.

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REPRESENTATIVES

Richard Kohlschreiber, Bob Brooks, Connie White, Linna Snyder, Jerry Dawson, Clifford Henry.

Back Row: C. McIver, W. Petersen, E. Alonzo, D. Perez, J. Allen, D. Lehning, W. Allen, B. Fitzgibbons, R. Reser, D. Gordon, L. Lemon, T. Weidman.
Third Row: P. Tice, R. Weinkauf, J. Bass, D. Wood, J. Scott, J. Reppart, H. Johnson, K. Weide, R. Thompson, F. Hardin, G. Flory, L. Peoples.
Second Row: H. Morgan, B. Barter, V. Allen, D. Harden, C. Casebier, J. Davis, R. Bauer, M. J. Deitrick, C. Tilton, C. Maust, G. DeBord, P. Kietzman, M. I. Carver, L. Lawton.
Front Row: G. Flory, W. Simpson, D. Bartholomew, E. Johnson, P. Scott, L. Matthews, J. Kincaid, L. Kiene, M. Thompson, S. Scrinopski, L. Caskey, R. Grame.

Homerooms—Wells, Thorpe.

Back Row: R. Blackwood, J. Magnuson, F. Lake, M. Taylor, B. Stuenkel, J. Schneider, N. Capps, T. Pettit, D. Horton, D. Douglas, D. Orr, P. Adams, R. Pasley, R. Bannerman.
Third Row: B. Wallace, W. Gentry, R. Brown, D. Murphy, E. Zimmerman, F. Houdek, F. Stratton, K. Burgen, A. Kramer, W. Banks, W. Buford, J. Vega.
Second Row: B. Bubb, M. Brown, S. Tarlton, C. Cox, G. Preer, M. Austin, K. Newman, L. Giddings, P. Burkhardt, B. Davis, D. Davis, A. Terry, C. Reed.
Front Row: J. Crane, M. Wright, R. Ashley, B. Buchmeier, I. M. Bugg, B. Johnson, W. Cox, G. Hough, G. Frakes, S. Horlacher, G. Hendricks, R. Hammond.

Homerooms—Fry, McKibben.

CLASS OF 1951 JUNIOR

REPRESENTATIVES

Jim Bass, Marjorie Thompson, Gloria Hough, Norman Capps.

REPRESENTATIVES

Linda Grange, Becky Thacher, Dale Ridgeway, Barbara Bradstreet, Marilyn Heath, Kathy Evans.

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Back row: J. Watson, C. Lewis, J. Carrington, D. Wilking, R. Short.
Fourth Row: R. Johnson, S. Smith, C. Bentley, B. Gill, H. Barraclough, C. Smith, D. Lane, L. Swager, J. Miller, B. Kirkpatrick, D. Ridgeway, M. Jones, E. Peyton, B. Webber, B. Haubold, A. McNeal, D. Hawks.
Third Row: L. Hatcher, J. Hoover, R. Sherrets, R. Fleming, I. Norberg, M. Thomas, J. Virr, T. White, R. Whitehead, D. Martin, K. Schulte, D. Reeves, P. Davis, E. Miller, D. Trott, D. Smith.
Second Row: J. Patton, O. Anderson, C. Smith, J. Anderson, F. Everett, D. McKibben, P. Moody, D. Bellman, M. Shoemaker, M. Shufler, B. Perrin, N. Sheets, P. Johnson, J. Ottinger, J. Denton, S. Waylan, L. Shrimplin.
Front Row: B. Moore, N. Bleckley, S. J. Billings, F. Hawn, B. Philamalee, B. Smith, N. Osburn, D. Haynes, M. Heath, B. Miller, V. Wilkey, J. Hearn, D. Bauer, B. Thacher, P. Reed, R. Patrick, N.Schwartz.

Homerooms—Swenson, Asklund, Gleckler.

Back Row: N. Bowlin, V. Coffman, R. Mai, S. King, S. Hardin, P. Willard, B. Willis, C. Leonard, R. Kelly.
Fourth Row: B. Warren, T. Roach, J. McConnell, R. Guerrero, G. Boyd, B. Sutton, J. Schneider, D. Seastrom, A. Hidalgo, R. Alonzo, H. Barber, B. Ford, J. Chance, S. Lamar, A. Plyley, S. Deitz, L. Petree, R. Tillman, R. Drum.
Third Row: S. Johnson, R. Hickman, R. Beal, J. Carpenter, J. Kesinger, A. Good, P. Burns, V. Teske, K. Evans, J. Kelly, L. Aguilera, D. Carlisle, A. Johanson, B. Nichols, M. Seidel, R. Keim, R. Kallen, R. Orr, B. Mains.
Second Row: M. Patrick, B. Hammond, J. Davis, I. Warthen, J. Fleischer, B. Bradstreet, S. Anderson, J. Hardisty, I. True, L. Duran, N. Crith, M. Baughman, S. Sears, M. Johnson, D. Beaman, C. Caulkins, P. Fluke, M. Johnson, G. Maxwell.
Front Row: D. Brinkman, M. Klugg, P. Brace, V. Reade, H. Hamilton, F. Smith, R. Brandenberg, J. Smith, B. Flannery, J. Smith, H. Morgan, I. Smith, J. Moran, B. Harris, J. Harris, G. Tindell, B. Griffy, L. Grange.

Homerooms—Nuzman, Jones, Fudge.

A shade just rising

THE SOPHOMORE CLASS

Danny Robinson
President

Ivan Malm
Vice-President

Introducing the youngest member of the Trojan family, the Sophomore Class! Brimful of vivacious energy, we new additions skipped gayly in, viewed the halls and walls unawed, and looked eagerly through the window framing our first year in high school.

We obligingly followed the traditions set aside especially for us. We marched in dignified state to our Induction assembly, to pledge ourselves to our school, really meaning every word. We perched in the balcony applauding grandly all the jokes that flew our way. We made ourselves heard at election time, contributed a worthy share of talent for assemblies and programs, and nearly fainted with relief when we actually passed those final exams.

At the end of the year we had gained a bit more knowledge, we had had a lot of fun, and we had served our apprenticeship in the craft of belonging. We were Trojans.

Jackie Mills
Secretary-Treasurer

Ann Colvin
Social Chairman

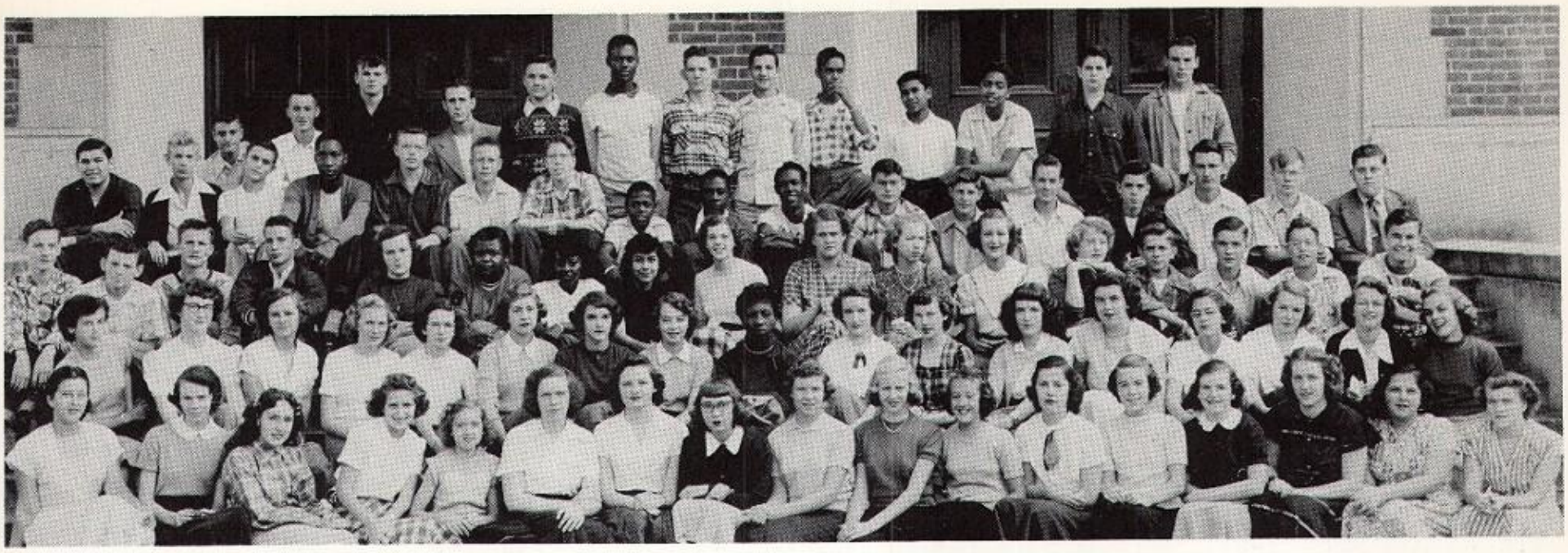
Dear Joanie
Best of luck to a
wonderful pal
Ann Colvin

Jack Greenwood
Representative

Seated: Jane Henry, Althea Bromich, Ann Colvin, Mrs. Jo White, sponsor; Jackie Mills.
Standing: Dan Robison, Jack Greenwood, Ivan Malm.

Althea Bromich
Representative

Jane Henry
Representative



Top Row: A. Wendt, B. Johnson, D. Simmons, R. Harper, M. Wedeman, C. Webber, L. Adair, W. Harden, D. Austin, V. Hernandez, C. Officer, B. Falk, P. Oelke.
Fourth Row: D. Marsh, M. Rousch, C. Yockey, W. Lee, D. Halladay, J. Howard, D. Admussen, C. Banks, H. Dalton, C. Glaspie, D. Skoog, B. Nowlan, W. Roose, J. Rowen, D. Kratochvil, C. Barrackman, L. Cowen.
Third Row: D. Hanley, J. Barrett, T. Sleeper, J. Cowell, M. Russell, D. King, D. Gentry, I. Rodriguez, M. Houser, R. Sturm, B. Gebhart, W. Frank, S. Lindemuth, J. Matchett, W. Mitchell, R. Gill, J. Tipton.
Second Row: E. Kirkpatrick, E. Rusk, K. Moeller, C. Murray, S. Green, B. Mickelwait, M. Welty, J. Eldien, J. Crawford, D. Williams, D. Garragues, K. Connole, S. Kendall, J. Langton, J. Grantham, M. Sewell, M. Dunn.
Bottom Row: G. Benton, J. Osborne, B. Partridge, L. Blankenship, M. McBurney, D. Plumber, B. Desque, J. Curtis, C. Casebier, M. Baker, J. Corber, S. Isaacson, J. Davenport, E. Paramore, M. Johnson, B. Farra, M. Ashinhurst.

Homerooms—Shoyer, Barnett, Blehm.

Top Row: D. May, G. Smith, R. Snyder, R. Wilson, D. Robison, C. Davis, J. Hunter, E. Elkins, T. Woods, R. Sargent, N. McGrew, J. Willis.
Third Row: D. Kampsen, J. Overfield, J. Frye, L. Heil, C. Kruse, N. Marshall, J. McIntosh, R. Golightly, M. Shutt, J. Meinholdt, J. Johnson, J. Schlegel, T. Lewis, J. Dozier, C. Stribling.
Second Row: P. Jackson, O. Baisley, D. Coffee, L. Hayes, D. Berryman, E. Wilson, D. Liles, J. Wolfe, L. Coulter, S. Schober, B. Barnett, B. Boyd, J. Henry, M. May, P. Reed, D. Bernhardt, E. Blackwell, D. Webb.
Bottom Row: B. Reaser, S. Thompson, D. Overmeyer, J. Hahn, M. Murphy, M. Moore, E. Foster, P. Briggs, N. Lane, S. Dansey, E. Euwer, V. Glover, J. Mills, A. Bromich, M. Keim, M. Pozez.

Homerooms—White, Russell.

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REPRESENTATIVES

Back Row: Evelyn Paramore, Larry Heil, Sally Lindemuth.
Front Row: Marlene Sewell, Marilyn Moore.

Top Row: D. McPherson, E. Tippie, L. Lauer, D. Holcomb, M. Sorg, B. Terry, L. Morris, R. Keltner, R. Frager, K. Kopren, L. Shiner, I. Malm.
Fourth Row: J. Young, A. Edwards, W. Grubbs, W. Wallick, F. Patterson, K. Schowengerdt, J. Gonzales, A. McCash, R. Diepenbrock, G. Lynch, R. D. Smith, F. Clark, P. Galbraith, R. Hersh, R. Kallen, J. Watts, J. Logan, F. Herdlicka.
Third Row: O. Shinn, P. Hopfer, F. Voiland, M. Ecord, N. Cook, G. Lawton, A. Lundgren, A. Jeffrey, B. Gleason, M. Eagan, R. Lillard, H. Lyngar, M. Gardner, D. Proctor, J. Estes, S. Ramos, K. Morrow.
Second Row: S. Reaka, T. Smith, C. Chard, D. Mize, I. Wilson, N. Kramer, M. Case, B. Baker, I. Starkel, W. Hastings, C. Scales, N. Marshall, B. Shannon, J. Clanton, M. Ball, K. Lenz, R. Austin.
Bottom Row: J. Walker, J. Hosler, D. Lynch, W. Hug, L. Perez, D. Reed, K. Morrison, L. Emrick, V. Moore, O. Revely, A. Mitchell, H. Wettengel, P. Patterson, E. Hamilton, M. Iwig, I. Truex, M. Hass.

Homerooms—Boyles, Oman, Kingman.

Top Row: D. Nudson, C. Schleder, D. Dickson, D. Cavanaugh, B. Grogger, J. Griffith, E. Rockey, B. Kelley, W. Schmid, R. Renfro, D. Hillyer, R. Singleton, A. Van Nice, J. Howard.
Fourth Row: R. Armstrong, D. Ferguson, D. Sheafor, C. Haas, T. Welch, J. Lahman, J. Gilreath, J. McClain, G. Staples, H. Frazier, J. Royer, W. Kelly, D. McCann, R. Pease, J. Focht, J. Barranco, N. Ortiz.
Third Row: R. Cowen, D. Schuster, A. Colvin, C. Cook, G. Manning, W. Jackson, S. Douglas, C. Carter, J. Woodson, E. Mendoza, H. Rocha, S. Frederick, P. Lodle, M. Lacey, C. Ijams, L. Strimple, R. Hecht.
Second Row: C. Lightbody, V. Carmitchel, M. Andres, L. Underwood, N. Stover, D. Sewell, F. Thomas, H. Denny, P. Matthews, S. Murphy, E. Schumacher, N. Smail, F. Hercules, J. Rosenberger, D. J. Skidmore, E. Bulk, D. Walters.
Bottom Row: G. Steck, D. Klamm, J. Funk, J. Northcutt, J. Hamilton, M. Disney, L. M. Drum, B. Barraclough, M. Smith, M. Escobar, V. Tindell, M. Harper, B. Arn, P. Wiley, M. Bigg, A. Padilla, P. Escobar.

Homerooms—Hopkins, Loomis, Cooper.

CLASS OF SOPHOMORE 1952

REPRESENTATIVES

Back Row: Douglas Scheafer, Carolyn Cook, Karl Schowengerdt.
Front Row: Shirley Murphy, Barbara Baker, Marcella Ecord.

REPRESENTATIVES

Back Row: Stanton Freidburg, Phil Coolidge, John Dixson.
Front Row: Marilyn Bronson, Faye Kramer, Jeanne Irvin.

CLASS OF SOPHOMORE 1952

Top Row: G. Slusser, W. Faidley, D. Cole, Wm. Dilly, G. Scheer, V. Blankenship, D. Oden, M. Smith, J. Brown, S. Brier, H. Butts, B. Beasley, D. Mathe, P. Dibble.
Fourth Row: M. Voigt, K. Woollard, D. Casebier, G. Hyle, R. Baldwin, J. Cox, G. Davis, J. Rosenlund, J. McGee, B. Streeter, P. Spaulding, G. Boaz, D. Hess, S. Fletchall, B. Huebner, L. Cunningham.
Third Row: P. Hernandez, R. Barger, D. Carlson, J. Hocker, M. Blackwell, J. Owen, H. Libby, J. Pauley, P. Haglund, A. Warthen, J. Johnston, I. Hartzell, J. Frampton, M. Beardslee, D. Reeder, A. Anderson, J. Kelley.
Second Row: B. Bohn, R. Ames, D. Tuffley, D. Smith, F. Kramer, S. Bevell, P. Nelson, D. Baker, V. Smith, L. Butler, L. Gill, E. Valdura, J. Cabrera, K. Choguill, M. Michener, J. Irvin, E. Savage, J. Brown.
Bottom Row: P. Jones, J. Baer, B. Braddy, A. Norris, N. Fenn, S. Ihinger, C. Hammond, A. Drescher, R. Lassiter, C. Cuddy, A. Bradley, D. Cole, J. Rust, B. Burrell, S. Wall, M. Bronson.

Homerooms—Davenport, Van Tries, Willcoxon.

Top Row: L. Wilson, N. Ewing, A. Lewis, B. Lemon, O. Christman, R. Willis, P. Anspaugh, D. Workman, M. Hutchison, J. Glenn, R. McClenny, J. Bruce, R. Carrington.
Fourth Row: G. Meyers, J. Lewis, R. Smith, D. Mitchell, B. Thiessen, N. Christman, T. Chaffee, J. Johnson, D. Parnell, K. Phillippi, S. Freidberg, P. Coolidge, L. Montfoort, R. Murphy, L. Shaw, L. Shepard, W. Harvey.
Third Row: M. Bennett, J. Dixon, R. Casner, E. Holmes, D. Rathbun, K. Rusher, L. Bates, P. Lindsey, P. Downey, R. Tucker, E. Major, J. Lovett, M. Smith, J. Van Deren, N. Brinker, W. Lopez, C. Sheldon, E. Rouviere.
Second Row: D. McGary, H. Bryant, V. Netherland, J. Stewart, J. Rogers, J. Erskine, M. Peterson, V. Denton, P. Benson, B. Bartsch, M. Beshears, J. Robinson, P. Fry, C. Pelton, C. Davis, M. McKean, M. Davies, E. Boothe.
Bottom Row: N. Olson, L. Cox, V. Erwin, J. Falk, B. Adams, S. Hardman, P. Mack, D. Mack, P. Whitney, E. Nelson, J. Dalrymple, M. Borsdorf, S. Semler, M. Cregut, C. Luce, H. Liggett, A. Grant.

Homerooms—Kerr, Finley, Montes.

REPRESENTATIVES

Back Row: Bob Gelvin, Janet Kesler, Bernard Miles.
Front Row: Melba Massey, Pat Gordon, Jean Smith.

Dear Pat, The best of wishes to a swell gal. See you next year. Bernadine Mack

CLASS OF SOPHOMORE 1952

Top Row: L. Wine, B. Norris, F. Powell, B. Pflughoft, D. Grittman, M. Bardsley, D. Shepard, D. Kentzler, C. Brady, B. Miles, G. Golliher, W. Henson.
Fourth Row: B. Best, R. Coker, H. Hillis, W. Franklin, H. Wood, W. Garner, C. Mathias, B. Fields, B. Miller, R. Cordill, C. Sweany, B. Stauffer, B. Richards, D. Matson, R. Smeltzer.
Third Row: H. Harrison, D. Payne, J. Martin, D. Garner, D. Kious, P. Jones, D. Stawitz, J. McKnaught, P. Gordon, M. Steves, R. Toledo, B. Gibbs, J. McClellan, J. Greenwood, B. Thomas, J. Gordon.
Second Row: P. Cravens, J. White, L. Force, D. Smith, A. Geren, L. Gouldthread, B. DeGraff, M. Schreiber, N. Backues, I. Rocha, E. Stevenson, D. Chambers, L. Huyett, B. Mah, G. Hershey, P. DeLong, C. Lahman.
Bottom Row: B. Fargo, J. Dunbar, N. Poole, M. Carroll, E. Jones, J. Hayes, M. Ahlstron, S. Allen, M. Massey, J. Lindbergh, P. Curtis, L. Beasterfield, S. Kenworthy, G. Henson, V. Haines, M. Hazard, M. Chandley, J. Parker.

Homerooms—Mills, Powers, Fink.

Top Row: G. Beasterfield, T. Klamm, R. McCoy, R. Reid, D. Eyth, F. Northrup, L. Hansen, C. Evans, R. Dayton, G. West, J. Schmidt, J. Miller, R. Corona.
Fourth Row: A. Bervert, T. Rogers, D. Wesley, L. Landis, D. Milbradt, B. Beatty, J. Norris, E. Richardson, W. Melton, H. Lincoln, E. McDowell, J. Boring, B. Robinson, R. Middleton, C. Moyer, B. Gelvin, J. McCarter.
Third Row: J. Williams, J. Bayless, F. Schmidt, C. Sutherland, S. Boggs, L. Boggs, S. Curtis, A. Peddy, S. McCullough, H. Flory, S. Keith, D. Wickman, D. Tarwater, P. Lohmann, G. Swenson, T. Higgins, B. Hobbs, R. Reed.
Second Row: E. Smith, B. Vaughn, A. Senne, B. Allen, A. Anderson, H. Graves, S. Frost, L. Bowen, A. Jones, P. Whitt, J. Myer, M. Ralston, J. Kesler, L. Johnson, L. Young, O. Huske, F. Green, N. Moorehead.
Bottom Row: F. Timmons, M. Hawley, L. Stones, D. Barber, P. Raymond, P. McCarter, J. Mize, B. Proud, J. Smith, M. Hickey, C. Sutherland, C. Brown, D. Warner, V. Carnahan, M. McCance, A. Loewen, S. Bunch.

Homerooms—Briggs, Grandon, Hess.

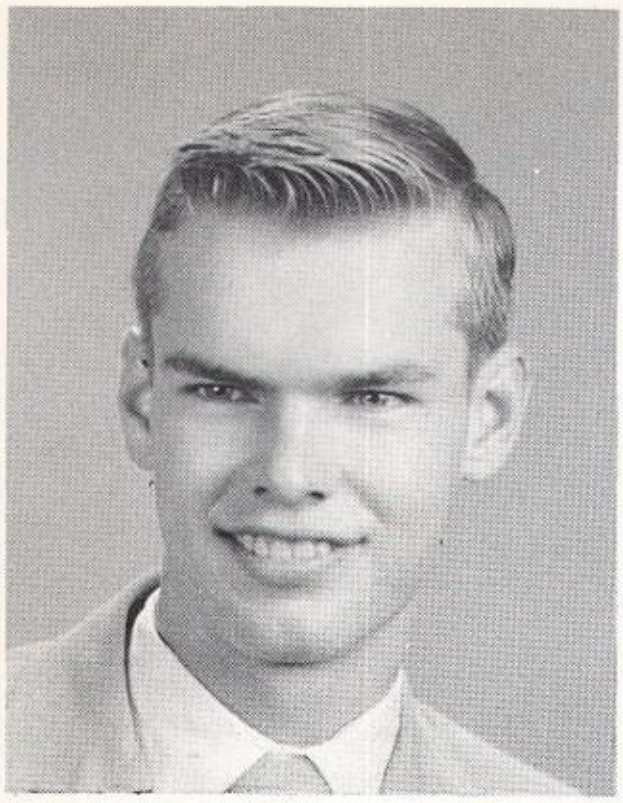
FREEDOM

HELP US, GOD, TO REALIZE – WHAT A WINDOW SIGNIFIES . . . FREEDOM, LIGHT, A VIEW, AND AIR – AND THE WHOLE WIDE WORLD – OUT THERE.

FREEDOM AND GOVERNMENT

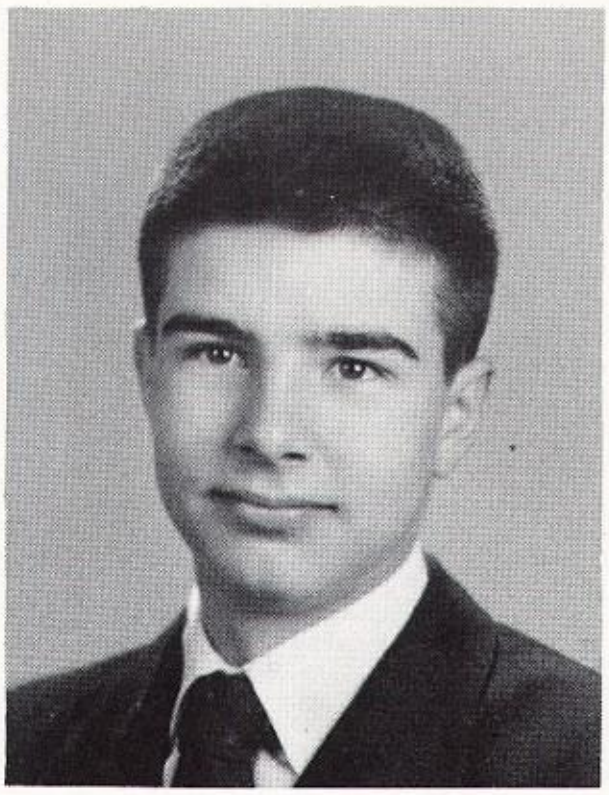
1950

A large window with clear glass . . . symbolizing freedom and, in turn, government, upholding Topeka High's tradition of citizen participation.

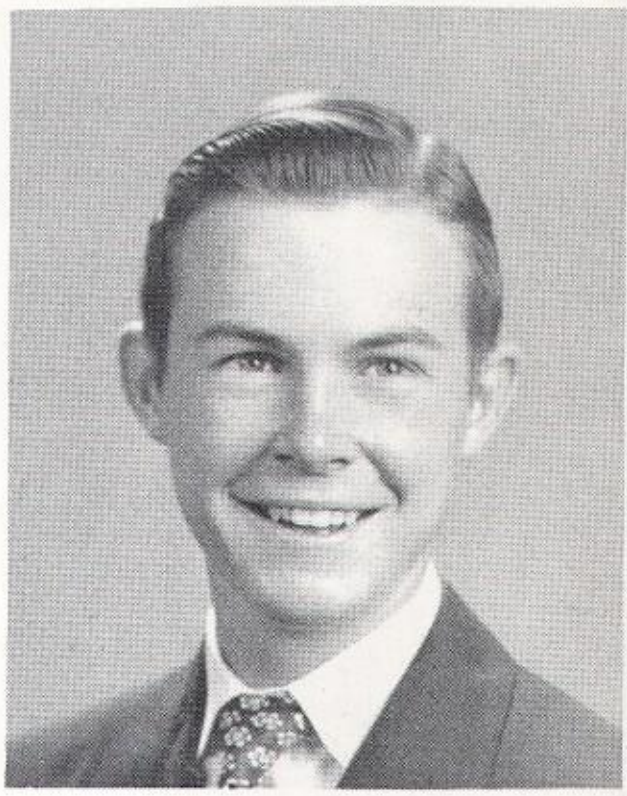


Dick Hadley
Student Congress President

P. K. Worley
Student Congress Vice-President



Bill Carpenter
Speaker of House of Representatives



With Hadley presiding

THE STUDENT

Dads' Night, the Jalopy Parade, Homecoming, the All-School Party, and College Day were among the many activities sponsored by Troy's Student Council. This upper house of Topeka High's Student Congress led by Dick Hadley, president, carried on heated discussions each Tuesday during fifth hour in the Social Room. The year's biggest argument, which lasted four weeks, concerned the maximum sum candidates should spend for campaign expenses.

P. K. Worley, Speaker of the Student Council, conducted the weekly meetings on strict parliamentary procedure with the assistance of Alan Lomax, Council Attorney. Other officers were Keith Schulte, Vice-Speaker; Joleen Knapp, Secretary; and Nancy Landon, Treasurer. John H. Kelly was Faculty Sponsor.

Working with the reorganized Representative Council, Troy's Senate helped rewrite the outmoded Charter, renaming it the "Topeka High School Constitution."

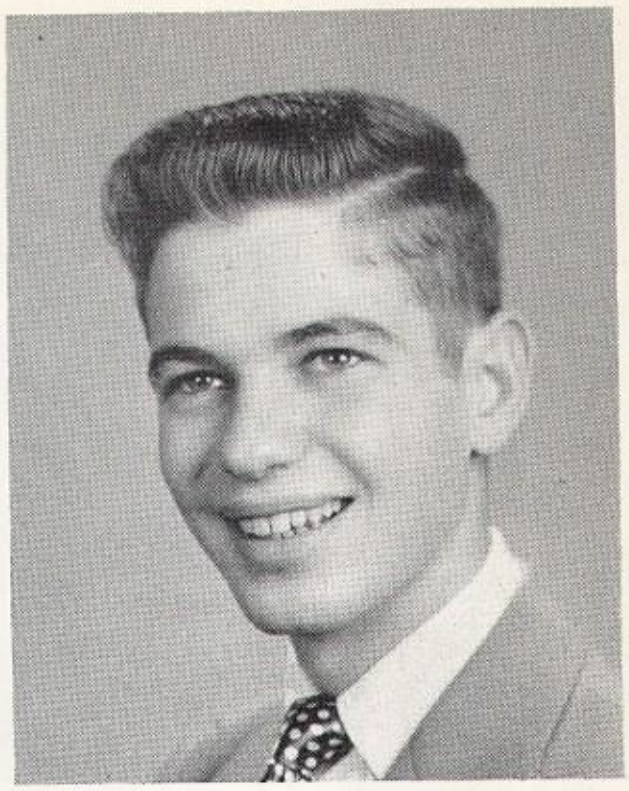
Headed by Speaker Bill Carpenter, Topeka High's Representative Council, consisting of one representative from each home room, underwent a complete revision this year and gained equal rank with the Student Council.

Arthur Casper was elected Council Attorney and worked with Bill to bring Troy's lower house into its own. Meetings were held every Thursday during fifth hour in the Social Room. Jerry Dawson served as Vice-Speaker; Nancy Bleckley, Secretary; and Jeanie Hunter, Treasurer. Miss Lois Fergus was Faculty Sponsor.

The sale of activity tickets and Sunflower subscriptions, sponsorship of Pajama Top Day, varsities, and "the best pep assembly of the year" were activities taken on by the Representative Council. The "Reps", carrying an active role in the Charter revision, voted on many bills involving the school.

With the "remodeling" of the Representative Council, more students were given a chance to participate in student government.

Marilyn Towler
Election Clerk



Arthur Casper
Election Commissioner

Pat Miller
Secretary of the Point System

CONGRESS

Back Row: Bill Gearhart, Jack Perry, Rodney Brown, Derryl Johnson, Arthur Casper, John Salisbury, William Smell.
Middle Row: Duane Wilkinson, Virginia Bartos, Phyllis Warren, Betty Weber, Marjorie Bauman, Margaret Harding, Phyllis Grittman, Bill Carpenter.
Front Row: Patricia Hale, Mary Brelsford, Jeanine Bunge, Betty Burnett, Pat Wilderman, Carolyn Loveless, Barbara Dean.

TUDENT COUNCIL

SENIOR REPRESENTATIVES

Standing: Mr. John Kelly, adviser; Bill Carpenter, George Lamb, Pat Miller, Keith Schulte, Kathryn Jury, Dick Mai, Hugh Groendycke.
Back Row Seated: Richard Hadley, Jane Henry, Jerry Bray, Althea Bromich, Ted McCoy, Alan Lomax, P. K. Worley, Jerry Hutchinson, Dan Robison, Dick Dennis.
Front Row Seated: Cynthia Davis, Jack Greenwood, Nancy Landon, Joleen Knapp.

1. "Chuck" Nelson transmits instructions to the pilot while Nancy Huffman, Ann Colvin, and Barbara Shannon watch for results.
2. Mary Michener, student pilot, is the link trainer under the guidance of an air force instructor.

During school hours

JOES AND JANES

3. Visiting junior high students have their pictures snapped as part of their day at Troy.
4. Students express deep thought as they examine the window display advertising "Janie."

5. Fire! No, this is just the monthly fire-drill that gives Trojans a chance to snatch a breath of air.

Both Boys' and Girls' Councils usher during the Sophomore Induction Assembly.

Front Row: Bill Carpenter, Rodney Brown, Richard Lewis, Dick Dennis, Ronnie Burns, Bob Fuller, Charles Keith, Bill Gearhart.
Back Row: Jerry Hutchison, Charles Newman, Dean Boyles, Dick Hutton, Jack Grotewohl, Don Troup, John Tuttle, Hugh Groendycke, Dick Hadley, Bill Michener, Bill Bailey.

SENIOR BOYS' COUNCIL

For honor through work

SENIOR GIRLS', BOYS' COUNCILS

Elected by their classmates for their ability to lead and serve, the students who formed the Senior Boys' and Girls' Councils contributed greatly to the social and scholastic life of Troy.

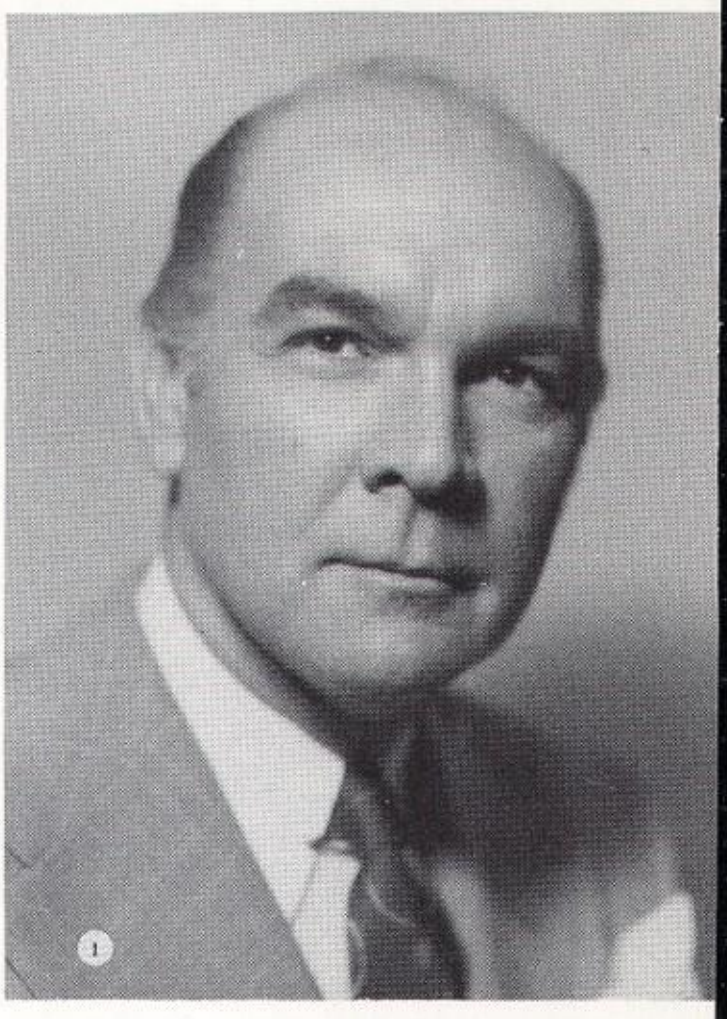
Sponsored by Miss Annabel Pringle, dean of girls, the Senior Girls' Council made several important functions possible. Members had a party for every girl in school; held discussions on the topics, "My Ideal Girl" and "My Ideal Boy"; and served at the Sophomore Mothers' tea. Later in the Spring, they had a tea for Senior mothers and daughters, and finally the Vesper Tea.

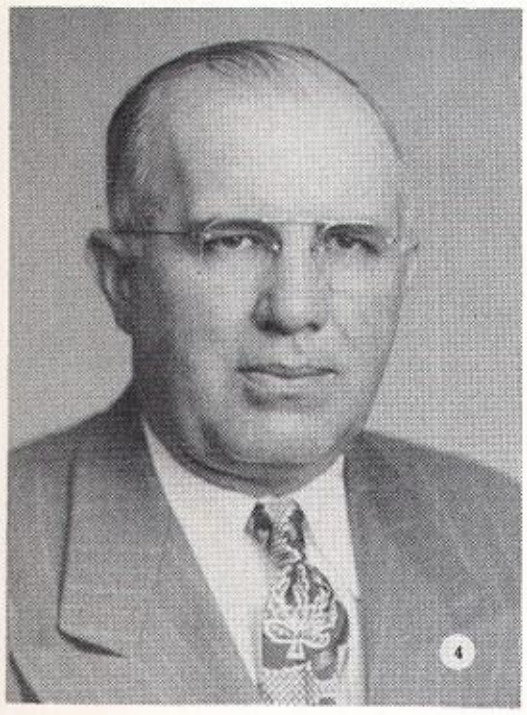
The Senior Boys' Council, sponsored by Kenneth H. Meyers, dean of boys, was newly organized this year. The boys began their work with a determined clean-up drive that removed the litter from our halls and made clear the function of wastebaskets. They also helped with the Induction Assembly. In many ways, the new group has proved a valuable addition to the family of service groups.

SENIOR GIRLS' COUNCIL

Front Row: Betty Weaver, Bertha Rivera, Connie Scott, Claire Ensign, Farol Fry, Lois Diepenbrock, Anne Gorbutt, Jeanne Joslin, Mary Ann Hogle, Virginia Golightly.
Second Row: Mary Anne Paramore, Pat Hale, Nancy Landon, Barbara Degnan, Connie Sawyer, Pat Johnson, Pat Kirk, Kathryn Jury, Patty Fink, Mary Jane Trulove, Marilyn Towler, Marjorie Pressman, Helen Wardell.
Back Row: Shirley Beach, Jane Currier, Shirley Deniston, Pat Piatt, Billie Kling, Marie Payton, Virginia Bartos, Jeanine Bunge, Joanne Bunge, Ann King, Susan Forney, Annette Huke, Kathryn Hall, Nancy Marsh, Mary Ream, Mickey Welty, Janet McEachron.

By sponsoring a coke party, the Senior Girls' Council introduced Troy to the feminine newcomers to the school.





For townfolk, students

BOARD of EDUCATION

1. Dr. Kenneth McFarland—Superintendent of Schools.
2. A. H. Saville—President of the Board of Education.
3. Kelsey H. Petro—Vice-President.
4. Charles Bennett
5. Mrs. David Neiswanger
6. Kenneth B. Hobbs
7. Marlin S. Casey
8. Mrs. Thelma Mifflin—Clerk-Business Manager.

E. B. Weaver
Principal

In the offices

ADMINISTRATORS

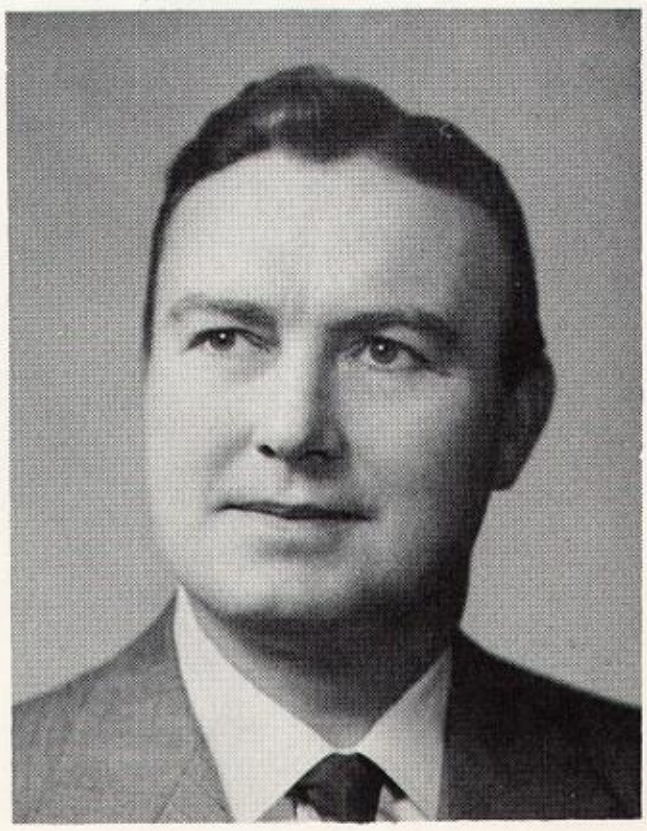
To have the most efficient school system, the finest schools, and best qualified teachers—these are the goals for which our administrators strive each year. Though they are all tremendously active people in civic, church, and business affairs, they cheerfully assume their responsibilities to youth. They make sure that the "Windows" in our school are clear and shining.

Superintendent of Topeka schools is Dr. Kenneth McFarland. He is assisted by Mrs. Thelma Mifflin, clerk and business manager. A. H. Saville heads the Board of Education, and Kelsey Petro is vice-president. Other members of the board include: Charles Bennett, Marlin Casey, Kenneth Hobbs, and Mrs. David Neiswanger. Miss Elizabeth Donaldson is treasurer.

Friend of all Trojans is E. B. Weaver, principal of Topeka High School. Dr. Giles Theilmann, vice-principal, directs the Guidance department, assisted by Miss Annabel Pringle, dean of girls, and Kenneth H. Meyers, dean of boys.

Dr. Giles Theilmann
Vice-Principal

Miss Annabel Pringle
Dean of Girls



Kenneth H. Meyers
Dean of Boys

FACULTY of T.H.S.

WILLIAM F. ADAMS
English
Radio Broadcasting

MRS. MARY KNOX ADKINS
Voc. Office Machines

MRS. VIRGINIA ASKLUND
Home Economics

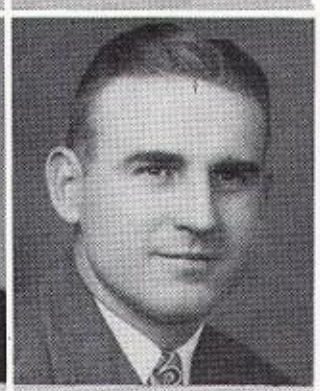
W. J. BARNETT
Physics

Best wishes
mrs. chamness

MARVIN BAYLESS
Typing

RICHARD BLEHM
Music
English
Psychology

MISS BERNICE BOYLES
Mathematics



ROBERT A. BRIGGS
Biology

MRS. P. W. CHAMNESS
Mathematics
Social Studies
English

JAMES COLTON
Auto-Mechanics
Driver Education

MISS JEANNE COOPER
Physical Education

C. A. DAVENPORT
Mathematics
Woodworking

H. F. ELLITHORPE
Chemistry

D. L. ERWIN
Mechanical Drawing

MISS LOIS FERGUS
English

E. L. FINK
Typing
Bookkeeping

MISS BERNICE FINLEY
Clothing
Social Living
Home Decoration

MISS MERLE FOWLER
Spanish

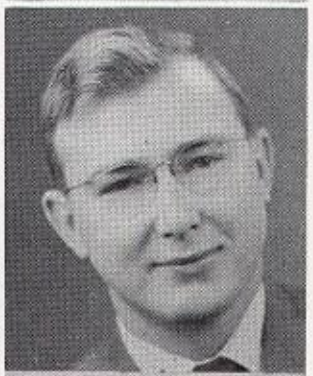
MISS ETHEL FRIZELL
Social Studies

MISS MABEL FRY
English

MRS. RACHEL FUDGE
French
German
Spanish

DON M. GLECKLER
Vocal Music

MISS RUTH GRANDON
English



ROBERT GRAY
Mathematics

Serene through din, Miss Oman dozes during pep assembly.

Instructor Joe Montes and Harper Dougan relax with the paper after a hard school day.

MISS LAURA HANLEY
Art

VERNON HAYES
Study Hall

MRS. GLADYS BROOKS HESS
Library

JOHN H. HOEHNER
Mechanical Drawing
Stage Craft

MISS MARY HOPKINS
English

MISS RUTH E. HUNT
Journalism

MISS FRANCES A. HUTCHISON
Biology
Botany

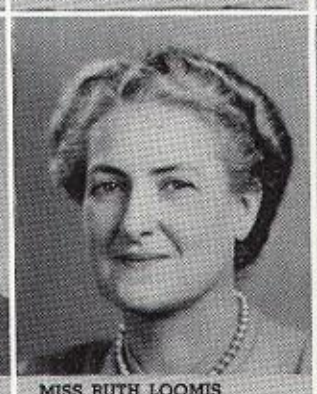
J. W. JONES
Physics
Voc. Physics

JOHN KELLY
Stenography

MRS. ESTHER G. KINGMAN
Mathematics
Latin

LLOYD W. KISTLER
Social Studies

MISS IRENE KLOPPENBERG
Latin
English



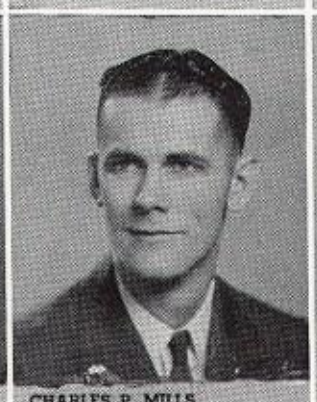
MISS RUTH LOOMIS
Foods

MISS EVELYN McCAULEY
Typing

C. J. McKEE
Band
Orchestra

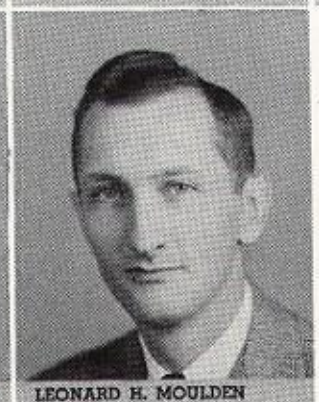
ROBERT T. McKIBBEN
Social Studies
Psychology
Human Relations

MISS ORA MAE McMILLEN
Clothing



CHARLES P. MILLS
Physical Education

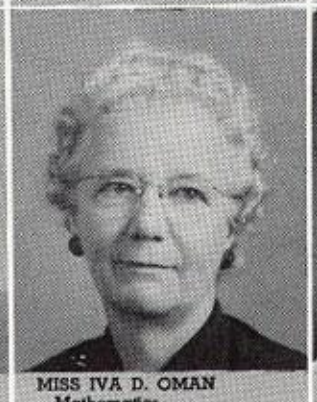
JOSEPH MONTES
Spanish



LEONARD H. MOULDEN
Social Studies

CARL K. NALL
Voc. Retail Selling

LOREN M. NUZMAN
Woodworking



MISS IVA D. OMAN
Mathematics

MISS ESTHER PEERS
Librarian

Music hath charm . . . Bill Adams smiles bravely as he hears "his" song.

THE FACULTY of H.S.

MISS RUTH A. PHILLIPS
Biology

KENNETH R. POWERS
Machine Shop
Auto Mechanics

MISS ROBENA PRINGLE
Social Studies

G. C. RIENIETS
Biology

MISS JEAN ROBERTSON
Library

ROBERT A. RUE
Band
Orchestra

WALTER W. RUSSELL
English
Debate

ARTHUR M. SEAMAN
Typing
Visual Education

MELVIN SEELYE
Biology
Physical Education

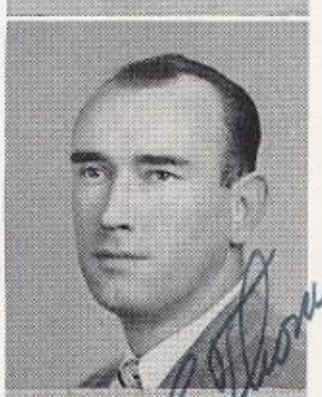
CHARLES SHOYER
Electricity
Radio

MISS ERNA SIBBERSON
Attendance Secretary

CARL P. SNYDER
Mathematics

MISS AMY A. SWENSON
Social Studies

MRS. FERN TAYLOR
Nurse



LEO THOMAS
Typing
Office Practice
Social Studies

WILLARD G. THORPE
Stenography
Bookkeeping
Commercial Law

MISS KATHERINE TUCKER
Clothing
Home Nursing
Home Management

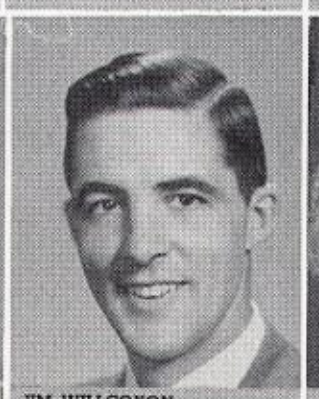
MISS GRACE VAN TRIES
English
Social Studies

MISS ANNETTE WEBB
English

MISS MILDRED JO WELLS
Physical Education

MISS GERTRUDE S. WHEELER
English
Play Production
Speech Training

MRS. JO WHITE
Social Studies



JIM WILLCOXON
Physical Education

MRS. FAYEBEN W. WOLFE
Art Crafts
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MISS EUNICE YOUNGQUIST
Cafeteria Director

Equipped with a Boy Scout hatchet E. B. Weaver, principal, swings at giant redwood tree.

Since Miss Martha Mae Holmes, new business education teacher, did not begin her duties at Topeka High until second semester, her picture does not appear on the preceding faculty panels.

Behind the desks

FACULTY

With patience, understanding, and wisdom the faculty of Topeka High School has kept our "Windows" clear and bright through a year when the grime of indifference and ignorance might easily have clouded them.

Most of them have been doing that same job for Trojans of past years, and will do it again for future members of Troy. Some of the teachers joined our family in September, and others parted from us in May. Always there will remain the "Windows" they opened.

Newcomers were Mrs. Virginia Asklund, Miss Jeanne Cooper, Miss Martha Mae Holmes, Joseph Montes, and Miss Grace Van Tries.

Those who this year have taken permanent departure were Richard Blehm, Miss Ruth E. Hunt, Mrs. Mary Knox Adkins, Robert T. McKibben, and Mel Seelye.

A group of boys under the sponsorship of E. B. Weaver, principal, organized the Principal's Committee to do needed projects around school. Parking space lines on the curbings are one evidence of their service.

Good Luck to a good kid
and a very poor mathematician

Jerry Estes

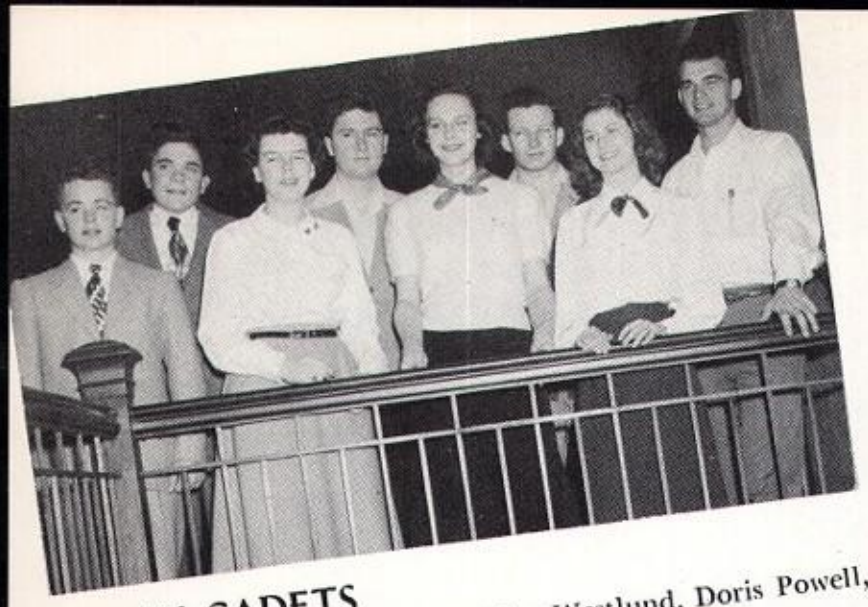
OFFICE SECRETARIES

Seated: Mrs. Helen Romig.
Standing: Mrs. June Lindsey, Mrs. Gertrude McIver, Mrs. Martha Pitt, Mrs. Lois Jones.

PRINCIPAL'S COMMITTEE

Seated: Don Wadsworth, Vernon Nelson, E. B. Weaver (principal), Lowell Landis, Derald Spicer.
Standing: Jim Creitz, John Meinholdt, Bill Gearhart, Dick Wolfe, Jerry Stitt, Clifford Myers, Bill Taylor, Bob Creitz, Bud Metzenthin, Jerry Estes.

For the good SERVICE



PLAY CADETS

Front Row: Howard Cole, Shirley Westlund, Doris Powell, Bonnie Bayless.
Back Row: Jim Bearce, Gary Crocker, Harvey Hays, Vernon Nelson.

VARSITY CADETS

Front Row: Ensign, M. Paramore, Keim, Boyd, Steves, E. Paramore.
Row 2: Sawyer, Hale, Deniston, Golightly, Lemon.
Row 3: Colvin, Scott, Kirby, Thoms.
Back Row: Howard, Smith, Zirkle, Hays, Shoyer (sponsor), Huyett, Nelson.

USHER CLUB

Front Row: Flory, Peddy, Baker, Gerry, Brandenburg, Fry, Haynes, Stitt, Gray.
Row 2: Major, Kling, Helm, Fry, Howard, Fleisher, Davis, Boley, DeLong, Ashinhurst, Kramer.
Row 3: P. Lohmann, Currier, Andres, Smith, Mize, C. Lohmann, Smith, Johanson, Sawyer, Burton, Jones, McCullough, Tkatch, Shannon, Lindsey.
Row 4: Mrs. Hess (sponsor), Hess, Duran, Kelly, Brown, Weide, Nystrom, Lehning, Wilkinson, Cowan, Peyton.
Back Row: Swenson, Admussen, Riedel.

GAME CADETS

Front Row: Davis, Fleisc Rawlins, Absher, Cl Morgan, Sawyer, L Hayes.
Row 2: Peyton, Slater, Du Coble, Mann, Moore, Le Morris, V. Mize, How M. Mize, Bowen, Aguil Rocha, Kohlschreiber.
Back Row: Thorpe (spons Powers (sponsor), Christ Weese.

The many responsibilities that come with presenting a play were taken care of by the Play Cadets. Under the direction of Miss Evelyn McCauley the cadets took tickets, gave out programs, and did many other jobs that are necessary to make a production move smoothly.

"Step right this way, please." Then led by smiling, friendly members of the Usher Club, under the supervision of Mrs. Gladys Hess, guests in our auditorium were conducted to their seats quietly and capably and left in the proper mood to enjoy the play, musical production, or speech.

Seeing that Topeka High varsities went off without mishap was the job of the Varsity Cadets. Charles Shoyer, faculty sponsor, and the cadets acted as disc jockeys, sold cokes, candy, and popcorn, and saw to it that everyone had a good time.

Energetic Game Cadets, aided by Kenneth Powers, helped make our home football and basketball games the big success they were. By selling and collecting tickets and distributing programs, the cadets proved a valuable service to Troy.

of the school

GROUPS

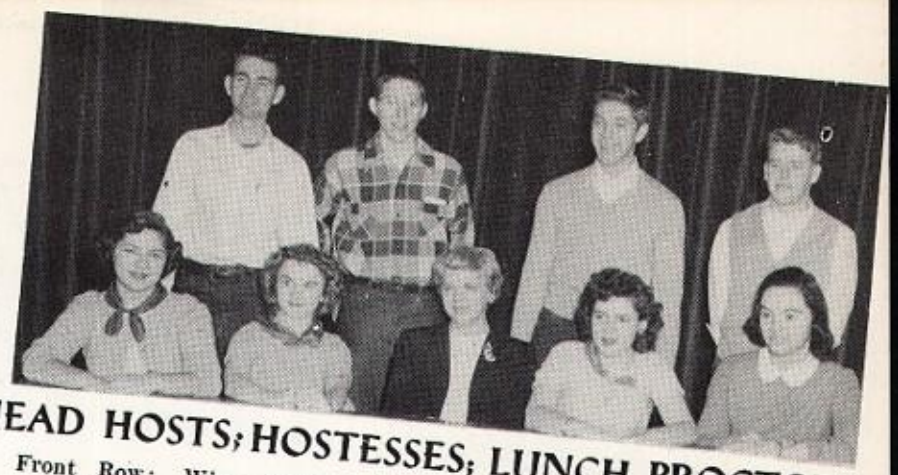
As guardians of the lunch-line law, the Lunchline Proctors spent their fourth hour helping Mrs. Esther Kingman. It was their job to keep order in the cafeteria and see that ravenous Trojans stayed in their proper places.

The vast mechanism of our library was kept in smooth running order by the librarians with the able assistance of the Library Proctors. These Trojans handled distribution of books, sorted magazines and books, and helped students with research projects.

Assisting Mrs. Fern Taylor in her work of treating ailing Trojans, the Nurse's Proctors ran errands, sorted supplies, and in other ways proved themselves useful aides.

Delivering call slips and acting as general messengers were the tasks of the Office Proctors, who, by their efforts, lightened the load of the main office force.

Through the diligent work of the Movie Proctors led by A. M. Seaman, the usual hum-drum routine of learning was broken by frequent educational movies.



HEAD HOSTS; HOSTESSES; LUNCH PROCTORS

Front Row: Wise, Kelling, Mrs. Kingman (sponsor), McClelland, Smith.
Back Row: Gearhart, Kirpatrick, Brown, Salisbury.

LIBRARY PROCTORS

Front Row: King, Welty, Carmean, Dexter, Iott, Horlacher, Spencer, Weaver.
Row 2: Moeller, Desque, Kincaid, Knauss, Haynes, Lynn, Scott.
Back Row: Kohlschreiber, Weide, Williams, Beeder, Gouldthread, Coble, Lohmann, Wickman, Wilkinson, Coolidge, Admussen, Swenson.

NURSE'S PROCTORS

Front Row: Moore, Knapp, Ashinhurst.
Row 2: Gebhart, Brandenburg, F. Smith.
Back Row: Rathbun, Clardy, Brock, Lassiter, Burkhardt, Coffee.

OFFICE PROCTORS

Front Row: Bayless, Forney, Fleischer, Casebier, Huffman, Bunge, Beach, Sears, Snyder, Joslin.
Row 2: Gardener, Degnan, Ahlstrom, Hopfer, Grantham, DeLong, Michener, J. Brown, Nason, Barnett.
Back Row: Gearhart, Taylor, Newbrey, Z. Jones, Schmid, Eldren, Underwood, Mize, Hayes, Seidel, Lundgren, Schumacher, Frommer, Letrud, Ream, Eagan, Metzenthin.

MOVIE PROCTORS

Front Row: Kallen, Arthur M. Seaman (sponsor), Hinken, Clark.
Row 2: Reichert, Lauer, Orr, Glasgow, Piatt, Canfield, T. Glenn, Hoover, Weese, Mathers, Lawson, Adams, Mathias.
Back Row: J. Glenn, Sage, Christian, Rouviere, Hallewell.

To unbelievable heights of vaudevill

ELECTION

"Vote for Jones"—"Join the Schmoo Party" "If you elect candidate X for president of t Senior Class, he will . . ."

Yes, these slogans grew familiar during the fi six weeks of school, when election season was full swing, and candidates were using every co ceivable means of appealing to student voters f support.

Colorful posters, thundering speeches, and bla ing band music, which opened the political ca paigns, reached their height in the week follo ing the primary election. Candidates resorted educated dogs, dancing dice, and bathing suits an effort to capture the attention of the voti body.

Arthur Casper, Election Commissioner, assist by Marilyn Towler, Election Clerk, and Robe McKibben, Faculty Sponsor, spent many hou smoothing election procedure to precision-gear exactness.

As general election day neared an end, the ra for Junior class president was drawn into the lim light. After four counts, Keith Schulte was pr claimed winner by a narrow margin.

"An exciting end to an unusual election," co mented Commissioner Casper.

1. Election Commissioner Arthur Casper proves to Richard Overman and Phil Brent that politics takes brawn as well as brains.
2. Primary election results cause mixed emotion.
3. Dick "Chloe" Hadley beats through a Nordic barrage of ice and snow as "Weather Man" Jack Truly and "Dog Team" Bob Williams create further atmosphere.
4. Mary Anne Paramore, dressed in the latest style, coaches a "Tiny Tots" quartet including Priscilla Colton, Patsy Lowther, Pat Hale, and Jeanne Joslin.
5. "The Bone" Dennis displays his ingenuity, cheered on by cave-men friends, Dennis McMullen, Joe Quinn, Bob Walker, and Dick Lyle, as shrouded figure causes near panic.

JUNIOR RED CROSS

Seated: Bunge, Caskey, Oliver, M. Michener, Ihinger, Welty, Bleckley, Ream, McEachron, Boyd, Jury, Force.
Standing: Grogger, Hobbs, Scott, Miller, Capps, Hogue, Nystrom, Pomeroy, Miss Ruth Grandon (sponsor), B. Michener, Reppart, Hadley, Bowen, Boon, Stratton, Howard.

DEBATE

Seated: Don Irvin, Ralph Johnson, Walter Russell (coach), Larry Shiner, Bill Wright.
Standing: Alan Dickinson, Ronald Dayton, Margaret Smith, Wayne Stratton, Nancy Brinker, Clifton Kruse, Gary Cowger.

To our credit

RED CROSS, DEBATE

Having lost almost all his first team debaters last year, Coach Walter Russell commented this spring that he was pleased with the progress made this year by inexperienced students. The team placed second in the Kansas University district tournament and sixth in the state.

Arguing the question, "Resolved: That the President of the United States should be elected by a direct vote of the people," the team placed high in several tournaments. Members also played host to twenty-six schools.

Completing the year's tasks, the Junior Red Cross Council can proudly review its accomplishments.

In the fall it launched the annual membership drive. Result? One hundred per cent cooperation. Council projects included two parties at Winter Veterans' Hospital, the Armstice Day assembly, and spreading Christmas cheer at St. Vincent's Orphanage and Capper Foundation.

Filling the overseas chest with articles bought with money raised by individual donations and by a veranda dance was probably the biggest job of the Council.

Bill Michener sets theme for party sponsored by Junior Red Cross at Winter Veterans' Hospital. Donna Brinkman and Red Cross worker assist.

KEY CLUB

Front Row: J. Logan, D. Jordon, B. Valley, M. McClenny, B. Whitehead, R. Orr.
Row 2: L. Christian, D. Sodergren, R. Cantrall, D. Brown, B. Mains.
Back Row: C. Moyer, R. McDaniel, B. Baldwin, J. Padilla, B. Ireland, D. Trott, E. Alonzo, B. Smith, L. Jamerson, T. Glenn.

HALL PROCTORS

Front Row: D. Barrett, M. Steves, P. Kerbs, M. Pressman, D. Lindbergh, J. White, S. Gray.
Row 2: R. Ashley, M. Wright, J. McEachron, M. McQueen, S. Rogers, J. Koehlar, E. Euwer.
Back Row: C. Smetzer, J. Slater, E. L. Fink (sponsor), J. Goodell, C. Lewis, E. Ridgeway.

About the halls

TROJAN AIDES

The Key Club, or Junior Kiwanis, meets fourth hour under the leadership of Kenneth H. Meyers. This year the club sponsored the Sweetheart Dance to raise funds to send several members to the National Conference in Columbus, Ohio.

Forming one of the most invaluable service groups at Troy, the Hall Proctors, sponsored by E. L. Fink, were responsible for the halls during lunch periods under the direction of head proctors, Marilyn Towler and Eddie Ridgeway.

To be listed with all the famous organizations that feed the hungry and care for the starving is the Snack Bar. Under the direction of Charles Shoyer, workers have saved many a weak Trojan from falling by the wayside.

Half the fun and pleasure of a football or basketball game is popcorn to munch and candy bars to melt in one's pocket. The Concession Stand workers, another group sponsored by Charles Shoyer, were always on the job.

SNACK BAR

Janice Smeltzer, Kay Cade, Rose Ledferd, Jane Peterson, Dorothy Ijams, Pat Wilderman, Betty Burnett, Pat Johnson, Bill Gearhart, Vernon Nelson.

CONCESSION STAND

Front Row: Marie Payton, Mary Ellen Nelson, Barbara Degnan, Betty Weber.
Row 2: Jane Peterson, Diane Shields, Phyllis Addy, Patsy Lowther, Jeanne Joslin, Patricia Hale, Muriel Hetherington, Dorothy Crume.
Back Row: Janice Smeltzer, Charles Shoyer (sponsor), Claire Ensign, Gary Crocker, Connie Scott, Jim Jones, Mary Ann Paramore, Dick Cantrall, Pat Piatt.

On stage

DRAMA GROUPS

"To live up to the aims and ideals of the National Thespian Society" and to promote to the best of their ability all dramatics with which they may be associated are the promises of members of the National Thespian Society.

To qualify for membership in Thespians a student must have had at least 75 lines in a play, or have held a major staff position.

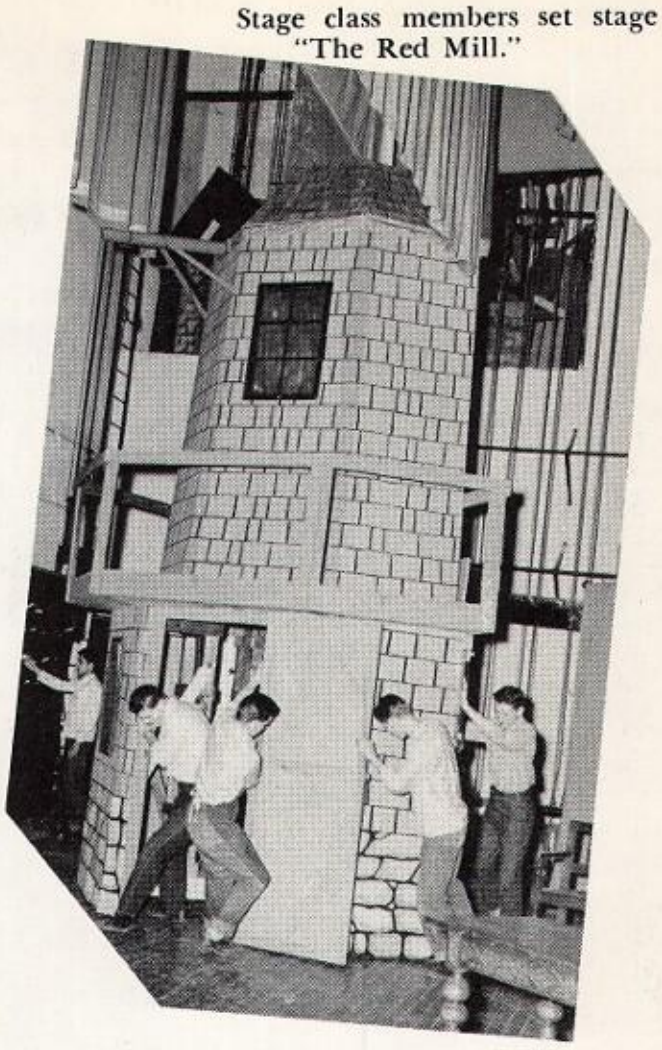
Sponsored by Miss Gertrude Wheeler, the club elected: Tom Parker, president; Jack Perry, vice-president; and Mary Ream, secretary-treasurer.

Although it holds no regular meetings, the Masque and Wig is the largest extra-curricular group in the school. Included in its membership is everyone who has served on the cast or staff of any play.

This year the Masque and Wig sponsored the All-School Play, "Janie," and co-sponsored the Junior and Senior class plays.

Its officers were John Salisbury, president; Connie Scott, vice-president; and Pat Kirk, secretary-treasurer.

Stage class members set stage for "The Red Mill."



THESPIANS

Seated: Jury, Lowther, Kirk, Weber, Colton, Piatt, Macey, Davis.
Row 2: Scott, Huke, Ream, Towler, Bleckley, Hunter, Sears, Braddy.
Row 3: Perry, Parker, Axton, Ives, Schulte, Sneller, Hogue, Miller.
Row 4: Reppart, Vanderbur, Higgs, Casper, Wright, Lawson, Wood, Shiner, Duran, McPherson, Groendycke, Scott.

MASQUE AND WIG

Row 1: Welty, Massey, Macey, Skinner, Scott, Johnson, Lewis, Haskell.
Row 2: Paramore, Weaver, Weber, Wymore, Lynn, Kirk, Lowther, Jury, C. Davis, Pointer, J. Davis.
Row 3: Bartos, Hammond, Burnett, Wilderman, C. Scott, Ensign, Towler, Ream, Choguill, Marsh.
Row 4: Greenwood, Coble, May, White, Crane, Holstine, J. Scott, Eagan, Hinken, McPherson, Groendycke, Huke, Hunter, Parker, Scrinopski, Shiner, Snyder, Sears, Bleckly, Kramer.
Row 5: Duran, Dangerfield, Kay, Lamar, Miller, Lawson, Stratton, Hogue, Dickinson, Ives, Reppart, Schulte, Vanderbur.

HOSTS AND HOSTESSES

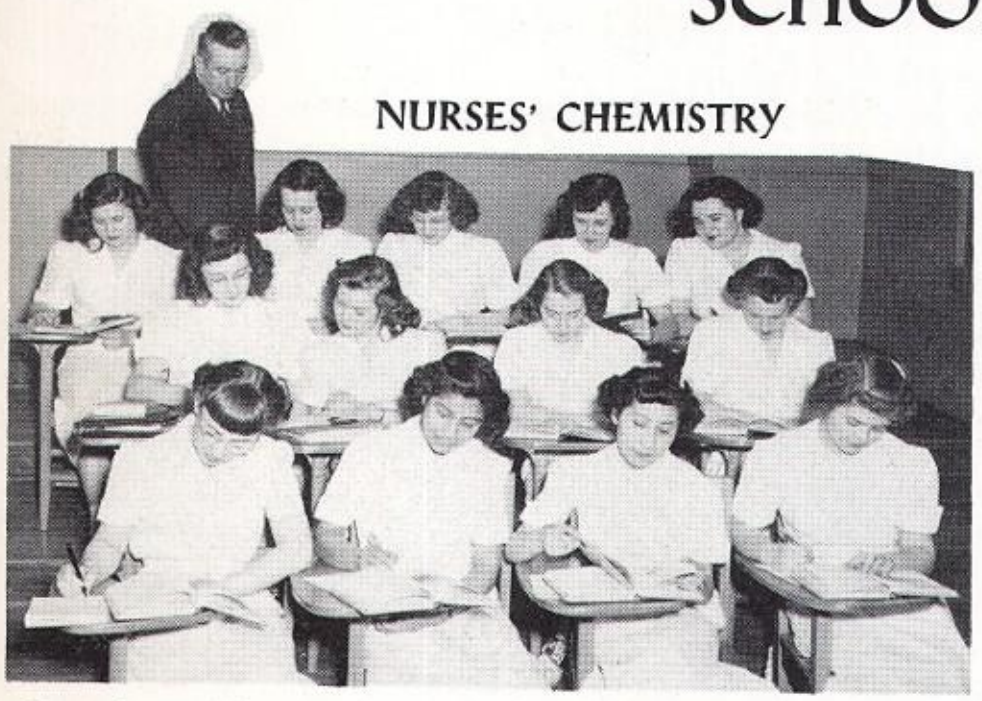
Front Row: Frey, Sawyer, Wise, Schroer, Rosenwald, Bartos, Marsh, Paramore, Towler, Ransom.
Row 2: Barber, Messick, Addy, Golightly, Knight, Peoples, Kelling, McClelland, Mize, Forney, McEachron, Gorbutt, Deniston, Pressman.
Row 3: Vigneron, Warren, Ensign, Voiland, Loveless, Trulove, Joanne Bunge, Jeanine Bunge, Gerry, Beach, Owen, Snyder, Troup.
Back Row: Rodriguez, Hernandez, R. Brown, Swartzel, Vanderbur, Truly, Wilkinson, Bartlow, R. Williams, L. Williams, Nelson, Gearhart, Hadley.

Front Row: McDonald, Crane, Hunter, Hughes, Bleckley, Hale, Stover, Freeborn, Zuniga, Steck, Aguilera.
Row 2: Buchmeier, Thacher, Letrud, White, Deitrich, Hendricks, Snyder, Canfield, Baker, Jones, Grantham, Shufler, E. Smith, Duran.
Row 3: Mrs. Esther Kingman (sponsor), Woodworth, Harrison, Beasterfield, Keim, F. Smith, Frommer, L. Johnson, Hawley, Poole, Lundgren, Burton, C. Smith, Sewell, Rocha, Solis.
Row 4: Fisher, Hobbs, Bannerman, Holcomb, Slawson, McNeill, Sutton, Duran, Crocker, Peyton, Williams, P. Miller, D. Brown.
Row 5: Clark, Lamar, Critchlow, Slaughter, Luna, Kirkpatrick, Capps, Trott, Hickman, Holstine, Bray.
Back Row: Kibler, Henry, Brooks, Messick, Bearce, Artzer, J. Miller, Slater, Hinken, Pomeroy, Kohlschreiber, Pasley, McMullen.

Through helping others

SCHOOL ORGANIZATIONS

NURSES' CHEMISTRY



Front Row: Helm, Martinez, Delgado, Seckinger.
Row 2: Coughlin, Fountain, Dilling, Arnold.
Row 3: Baker, H. F. Ellithorpe (instructor), Lietz, Carver, Brelsford, Paschall.

Keeping breakage down to a minimum and the tables and the chairs in the cafeteria as neat as possible is the job of the 120 Hosts and Hostesses. This group is under the sponsorship of Mrs. Esther Kingman.

Especially for girls interested in the medical profession, Nurses' Chemistry gives students a chance to advance in a specialized field. Under two-hour instruction from H. F. Ellithorpe, girls prepare to enter nursing.

The local Business Education Club at Troy includes students in Vocational Office Practice and Retail Selling. The groups exchanged parties, and Office Practice members honored their "bosses" with a dinner.

The Future Homemakers of America Club played hostess to two conventions. The Trojan F.H.A. girls entertained in their own building for the district convention.

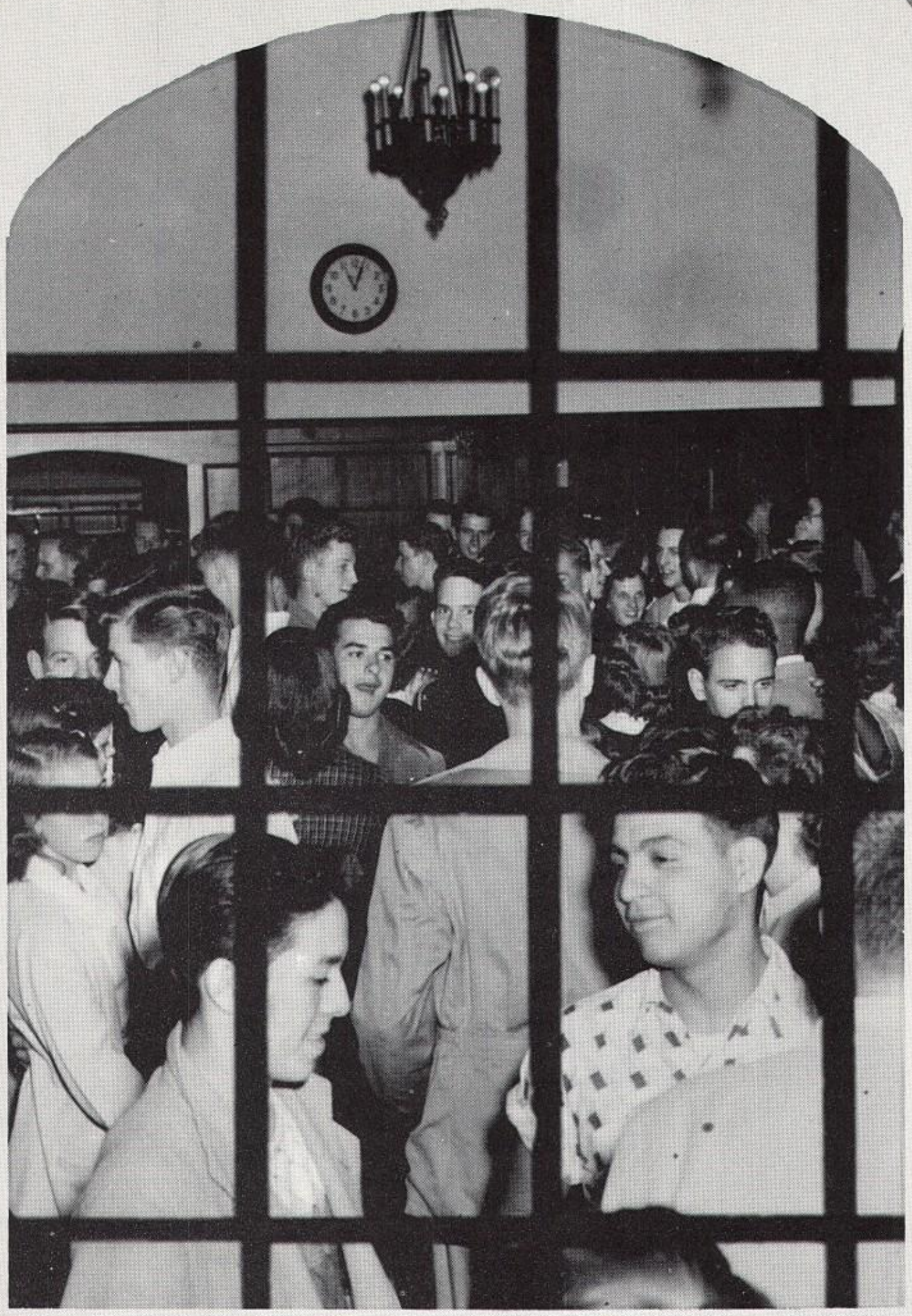
F. H. A.

Front Row: Phyllis Stanley, Shirley Spradley, Amber Peddy, Nancy McAdam, Louise Spencer, Darlene Keim.
Back Row: Leota Beasterfield, Carlene Luse, Mrs. Virginia Asklund (sponsor), Gayle Hershey, Dorothy Haynes, Lois Lane.

BUSINESS EDUCATION CLUBS

Front Row: Macey, Allen, Lovett, McNinch, Kunkler, Condley, Cummickel, Graves, Edds, Briggs.
Row 2. Betty Wolford, McGuire, Barbara Wolford, Hyle, Romig, Powell, Crook, Ammon, B. Fisher, Goff, Crume.
Row 3: McCormick, Thoms, F. Moore, Trueblood, Gross, Stadler, Hughes, Thompson, Platt, Myers, Hadden.
Back Row: Stewart, Southard, Simpson, Myrick, Sutton, Eyth, Honeycutt, Hogle, Kirby, Denham, Duff, Hastings, Brownfield.

LIGHT



HELP US, GOD, TO REALIZE – WHAT A WINDOW SIGNIFIES . . . FREEDOM, LIGHT, A VIEW, AND AIR – AND THE WHOLE WIDE WORLD – OUT THERE.

LIGHT AND RECREATION

1950

A multi-colored pane, brilliant with artificial light . . . sheltering the parties, the plays, the dances, that remain highlighted in the windows of memory.

1. In a jealous rage, Jerry Scott prepares for a fight with Jock Miller as Billy Sue Braddy tries to restrain him.
2. Doing her best to impress eligible bachelor, Tom Parker, Emily Jo Scott poses on the staircase and succeeds in amusing Mary Ream and Dave Wood.

With giggles galore

JANIE

"Janie" was gay with life, laughter, and rollickin romping action which added up to an all-school hit fo the All-School play.

The plot centered around "Janie," played by Bill Sue Braddy, whose efforts to entertain the Army, pe sonified by Jock Miller, caused much discomfort to he family and teen-age boy friend, Jerry Scott. Th romance of middle-aged Thelma Lawrence, played b Emily Jo Scott, and stolid bachelor Tom Parker, adde to the merriment of the show. A smash hit, the pla produced desired results for the fine cast, and hilariou excitement for the delighted audience.

Actors for this comedy were picked from all thre classes, proving that each has its share of talent to offe for school service and amusement.

STAFF

Directors.....Annette Huke, Nancy Bleckley
Costume Managers....Betty Weber, Mary Welty
Jim Hogue, Linna Sue Snyder
Property Managers .....Jeanne Spencer
Cynthia Davis, Donna Skinnner
Stage Manager.....Connie Sneller
Asst. Stage Manager.....Bill Wright
Business Manager .....John Salisbury
Asst. Business Manager .....Walter Swan
Publicity Managers...Nancy Marsh, Joyce Davis,
Harper Dugan

CAST

Charles Colburn .....Dave Wood
Elsbeth Colburn .....Joyce Macey
Lucille Colburn.....Mary Ream
Rodney.....Jack Perry
John Van Brunt .....Tom Parker
Janie Colburn .....Billie Sue Braddy
Bernadine Dodd.....Jeanie Hunter
Paula Rainey.....Susan Sears
Scooper Nolan.....Jerry Scott
Thelma Lawrence .....Emily Jo Scott

Dick Lawrence .....Jock Mill
Tina .....Katy Chogui
Andy Nevins.....Wayne Stratto
Frank Parker.....Stan Lama
Oscar Bassett.....Jim Hogu
Hortense Bennington .....Nancy Mar
"Dead-Pan" Hackett.....John Reppa
Carl Loomis .....Maurice Case
Joe Jerome.....Charles Axto
Mickey Malone .....Skip Dickinso
Uncle Poodgie.....Tom Coolid

General bedlam is the keynote when the Army invades the Colburn home. Left to right: Jay Holstine, Jeanie Hunter, John Reppart, P. Worley, Susan Sears, Douglas Kay, Linna Snyder, Billie Sue Braddy, Keith Schulte, Douglas Smith, Betty Weber, Jim Hogue, Stan Lamar, Nan Marsh, Maurice Casey, Jack Perry, Arthur Casper, Bill Boon.

From tryout to performance

EVERY FAMILY HAS ONE

1. Nana is successful—the Parker family squabbles.
Left to right: Ralph Johnson, Walter Swan, Patsy Lowther, Jane Grantham, Jay Holstine, Jack Greenwood, Sonnie Scrinopski, Jeanie Hunter, Jerry Scott, Mary Ream, Katy Choguill, Tom Parker.
2. Under the guidance of student director, Mary Anne Paramore, the cast studies Act I.

Scalpings, a glue factory, and Aunt Nellie, who sprinkled paprika on her face, riotously proved to the Trojan world that "Every Family Has One"—and some more than one.

Impersonating the daughter of an eccentric relative, flirtatious Lily, played by Mary Ream, managed to shock the socially prominent Reardon family into a state of semi-chaos. Little son Georgie's antics brought roars of delight from the audience and made funny-bones stand on end. Comedy was also furnished by a pessimistic maid, snobbish Mrs. Parker and young Warry's efforts to write a tragic masterpiece. The fluttering wife and mother, Mrs. Reardon, was delightfully portrayed by Jeanie Hunter.

Merriment went from high to hilarious as family skeletons roamed from their closets to break up a wedding and startle their owners. With the aid of a witty grandmother, enacted by Katy Choguill, true romance finally triumphed, making the Senior play another dramatic success.

CAST

George Reardon ..... Jack Greenwood
Laura Reardon ..... Jeanie Hunter
Mrs. James Parker ..... Patsy Lowther
Essie ..... Sonnie Scrinopski
Nana Reardon ..... Katy Choguill
Reginald Reardon ..... Tom Parker
Marcia Reardon ..... Jane Grantham
Warry Reardon ..... Jerry Scott
James Parker ..... Ralph Johnson
Sherwin Parker ..... Walter Swan
Lily Reardon ..... Mary Ream
Todd Galloway ..... Jay Holstine

STAFF

Directors ..... Kathryn Jury
Mary Anne Paramore
Costume managers ..... Edith Schmid
Ann Jeffrey
Property managers ..... Julia Oliver
Dollie Lewis
Stage manager ..... David Lawson
Assistant stage manager ..... Bill Higgs
Publicity director ..... Arthur Casper
Assistant publicity director ..... Llewellyn Kiene
Business managers ..... Marvene Renfro
Shirley Beach

Tension mounts as students wait for their turn to tryout.

In full costume Mary Ream (above) exhibits the scalping power she has perfected (right) with hours of study.

"I didn't mean to do it," moans Keith Schulte after shooting Priscilla Colton while Don McPherson, Bill Wright, and Arthur Casper try to help.

With a smirk of satisfaction, Charles Axton relates that he has finished his book as John Reppart beams.

A comedy of crime

SEVEN KEYS TO BALDPATE

"Suppose you tell me where you got your key to Baldpate," asked Charles Axton.

"I won't tell," replied henchman Arthur Casper. Then as the mysterious plot unfolded, "Seven Keys to Baldpate" were found six other characters claiming theirs as the only one that existed.

A realistic stage setting with a balcony, constructed by J. H. Hoehner and the stage craft classes, and a roaring wind, added to the effective dialogue of the play.

Because of a bet made with Larry Shiner, owner of Baldpate Inn, Charles went to the summer resort in the dead of winter to write a book in 24 hours. The caretakers, John Reppart and Billie Sue Brady, opened the inn for the author.

With its surprise ending, the Junior play, under the direction of Miss Gertrude Wheeler and rehearsal assistant Don Dorrell, featured surprises, laughs, and an all-school cast.

CAST

Elijah Quimby.....John Reppart
Mrs. Quimby.....Billy Sue Brady
William Hallowell Magee.....Charles Axton
John Bland.....Arthur Casper
Mary Norton.....Marilyn Bronson
Mrs. Rhodes.....Cynthia Davis
Peters.....Harry Ives
Myra Thornhill.....Priscilla Colton
Lou Max.....Keith Schulte
Jim Cargan.....William Wright
Thomas Hayden.....Don McPherson
Jiggs Kennedy.....Jim Hogue
Policemen.....David Hinken, Jay Holstine
The Owner of Baldpate.....Larry Shiner

STAFF

Director.....Betty Weber
Ass't. Directors.....Hugh Groendycke
Billie Sue Braddy
Costume Manager.....Connie White
Ass't. Costume Manager.....Judy Crane
Property Manager.....Mary Anne Paramore
Ass't. Property Managers.....Nancy Landon
John Salisbury
Stage Manager.....Bill Higgs
Ass't. Stage Manager.....David Lawson
Business Manager.....Jock Miller
Ass't. Business Manager.....Jay Holstine
Publicity Director.....Hugh Groendycke
Rehearsal Assistant.....Don Dorreli

A tense moment as the cops take charge of the strange events at Baldpate. Left to right: Keith Schulte, Arthur Casper, Harry Ives, Jim Hogue, Larry Shiner, David Hinken, Charles Axton, Marilyn Bronson, Bill Wright, Cynthia Davis, and Don McPherson.

King Neptune, Ted McCoy, still frowns surrounded by Bruce Kirkpatrick, Rodney Smith, Tom Hartman, and Tom Coolidge.

Under the sea

THE PROM

Using as their theme the enchanting Blue Pacific, the Junior class staged the Junior-Senior Prom, the only school-sponsored formal social event during the year.

Music for the program was based on the current Rogers and Hammerstein musical comedy, "South Pacific," and included such beloved songs as "Some Enchanted Evening," "Bali Ha'i," and "Honey Bun."

The mysterious submarine setting in "Whaleville," although viewed through a gauze curtain and illuminated only by a maze of blue lights, was one of the most elaborate sets ever seen on Troy's stage. It was built by John H. Hoehner, assisted by Claire Ensign, stage manager, and the stage craft class.

In the cafeteria, Gene Hall and his band furnished three hours of the sweetest music this side of Whaleville.

Norman Capps, Ruth Cowie, and Keith Schulte were student directors, and Miss Amy Swenson, class sponsor, was general supervisor. Bill Adams was faculty program director.

"Whaleville Firehouse two plus one"—Myron McClenny, Ronnie Kibler, and Jim Bass.

Margaret Nason whirls in Whaleville.

Left: It's a treat to beat your feet in the Mississippi mud," strums Jerry Bray on his uke.

Below: Sea nymphs Emily Scott, June Koehlar, Martha Johnson, Joleen Knapp, Patty Scott, Marian Haskell, and Betty Davis entertain King Neptune.

Extreme Left: Oops! It looks as if "E. B." (alias Art Casper) forgot something.
Left: From "E. B's" dreaded inner-inner office emerges unfortunate subscrub, George Davis, assisted by Jack Perry.

Among cherished memories

ALL-SCHOOL PARTY

ALL-SCHOOL PARTY ATTENDANTS

Don Troup, Annette Huke, Bill Michener, Betty Carmean, John Tuttle, Marilyn Towler, John Everett, Judy Lee, Dick Lyle, Mary Anne Paramore, Richard Hadley, Mary Trulove.

1. To close a hit show, Jack Greenwood, Stan Lamar, Marilyn Bronson, Sam Deitz, and Bob Brooks sing their rendition of "Cool Water."

2. All-School Party royalty — Queen Mary Ream and King Dean Boyles.

3. "Here comes the bride" . . . But it wasn't the bride—just the "flower girl," Leonard Moulden, leading the mock wedding staged by the faculty!

4. "Let a Song Be Your Umbrella" warble Kathryn Jury, Marilyn Towler, and Janet McEachron.

Opening with a bang that rocked the building, the All-School Party continued "popping" in authentic Olson and Johnson style. Confetti showers, police arrests in the audience, and a trip into the dark, mysterious depths of "E. B.'s" inner-inner office were featured in the program. Teddybears capered, clowns frolicked, Fredrica played her "magic" violin and the audience had the privilege of witnessing a startling marriage.

Accompanied by strains of the traditional bridal march, a dainty flower girl, L. H. Moulden, came tripping down the aisle, followed by bridesmaid Leo Thomas, maid-of-honor Lloyd Kistler, the bride's weeping father, Robert Gray, and the blushing bride herself, E. B. Weaver.

As hilarity had mounted up to this point, so increased the tenseness that preceded the climax of the program—the crowning of the All-School Party Queen and King! Only after the royal party had marched sedately down the aisle and had taken their places on the stage, were the identities of the Queen and King revealed. In a truly beautiful ceremony Queen Mary Ream and King Dean Boyles were crowned by P. K. Worley and were forever enthroned in the heart of Troy.

For variety

ENTERTAINMENT

1. Boys' Quartet — Hubert Caniff, Jerry Hoover, Jerry Tipton, Ira Norberg. Accompanist, Richard Blehm.
2. Boys' Quartet — Bob Brooks, Sam Deitz, Stan Lamar, Jack Greenwood.
3. Boys' Quartet—Maurice Casey,. Jerry Hutchison, Charles Axton, John Reppart.
4. Frances Hawn and Mary Steves dance the Jarabe Tapatio at Pan-American Day program.
5. "I think it's going to snow," screams Walter Swan to Carolyn Vigernon at lively All-School Party. It does!
6. Florence Delgado, Dolores Solis, and Bertha Rivera serenade third hour Spanish students with Mexican melodies.

1. Ten little Indians—Shirley Wall, Jo Ann Davenport, Janice Brown, Wilmagene Frank, Evelyn Paramore, Linna Snyder, Peggy Hughes, Jean Hunter, Connie White, Susan Sears—plop down for a big pow-wow.
2. Larry Heil displays the art of juggling to mystified Sophomores.
3. Arabian Muriel Dexter and Scottish Margaret Nason's feet fly in the Charleston.

With fun, frolic

ALL-GIRL, SOPHOMORE PARTY

"A Pretty Girl is Like a Melody" formed the theme of the annual All-Girl Party this year, under the direction of the Senior Girls' Council and Miss Annabel Pringle. Gals of Topeka High had a gay time participating in singing contests, costume judging, dancing, and the ultimate consumption of popcorn and cokes.

"The Old Lamplighter," complete with lampshade and candle, along with "Sweet Sue," attired in a sack and a candy necklace, were favorites of the crowd. After a varied program including guitar music by Marilyn Bronson and dancing by Muriel Dexter and Margaret Nason, refreshments were served.

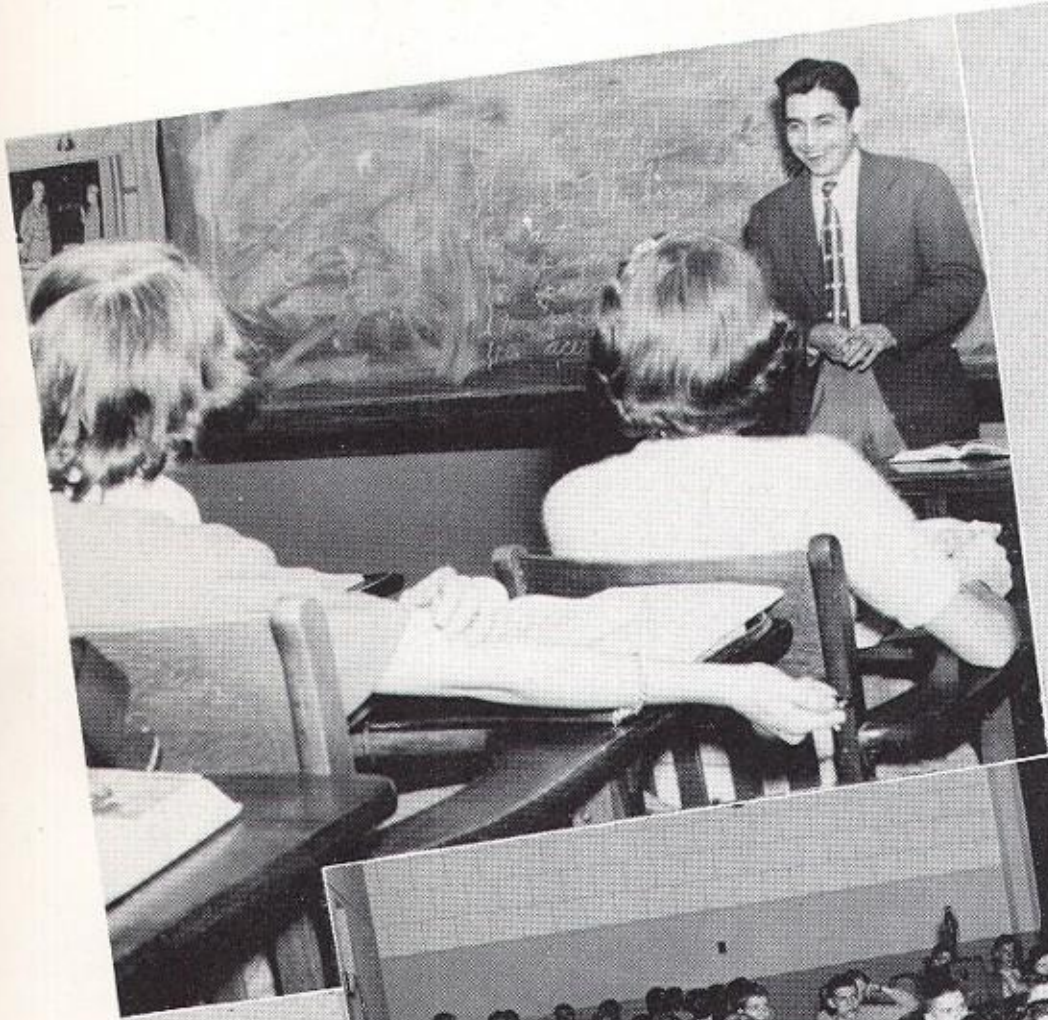
November 11, to indifferent upperclassmen, was only another rainy day, but to enthusiastic Sophomores it marked the date of their first big social event at Topeka High School—the Sophomore Party. The shindig was planned by Mrs. Jo White and class officers of the Sophomore class, assisted by other Sophomore counselors.

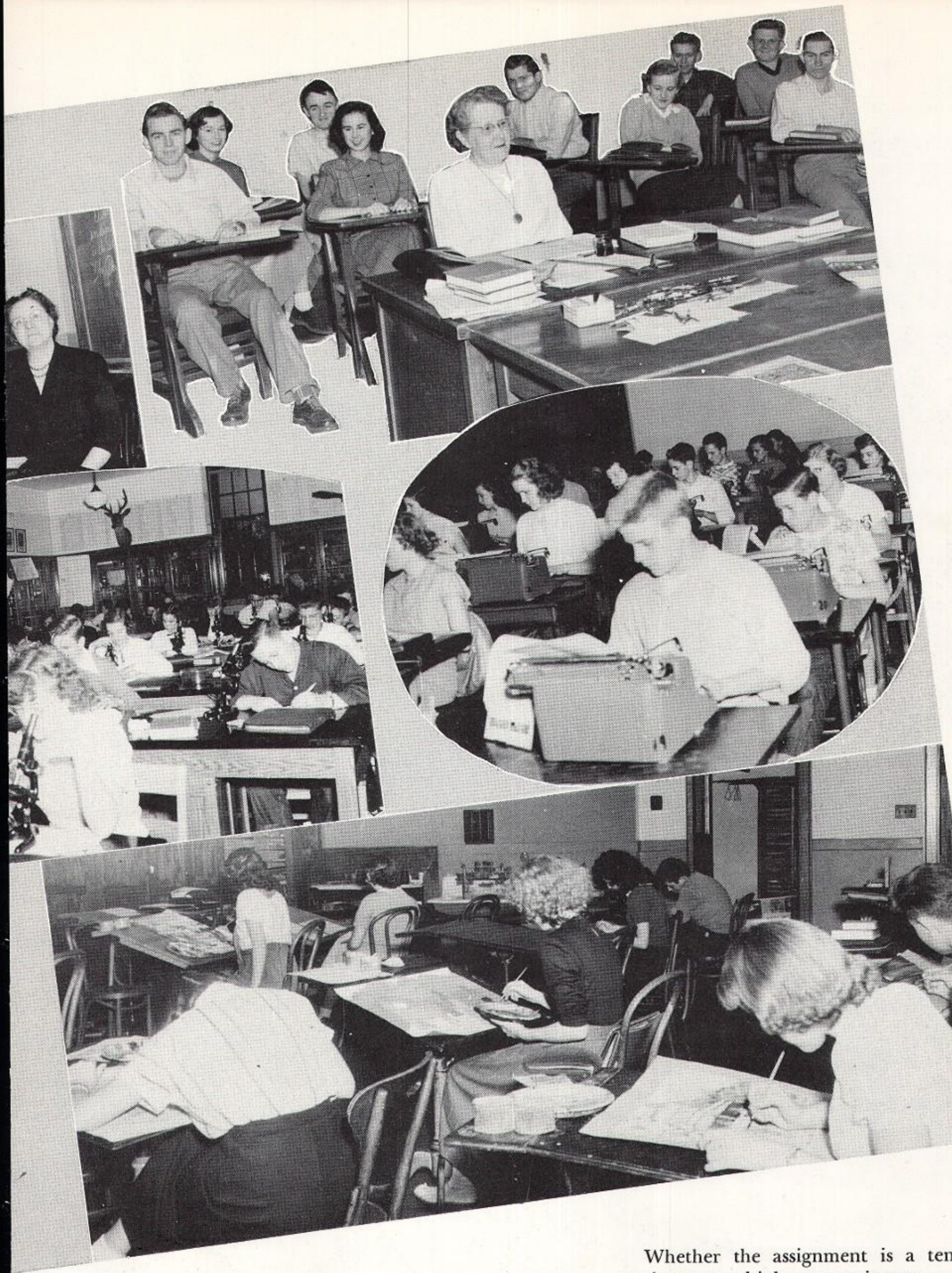
Featuring Sophomore talent, highlights of the party were lively tap dances, vocal numbers, magic, and square dancing.

laughing Barbara Boyd and Marilyn Bronson add to Sophomore Party with a lively dance.

Gala crowds cheer on performers at All-Girl Party.

School in session





Row 1: Spanish, art crafts, English, mathematics
Row 2: Projection room, biology, typing.
Row 3: Botany
Row 4: Band, foods, art.

Whether the assignment is a ten-minute typing test, a biology experiment, or a movie in the projection room, we Trojans enter into the activity of the class with enthusiasm, knowing that by so doing we are broadening our knowledge and widening our circle of friendships.

WOODWIND QUINTET

Jo Anna Fisher, Bob Breithaupt, Franklyn Houdek, Peggy Hughes, Harriet Hull.

FLUTE QUARTET

Pat Kirk, Norma Owen, JoAnna Fisher, Shirley Beach.

For perfection ENSEMBLES

VIOLIN QUARTET

Eleanor Herr, Annalee Smith, Fredrica Voiland, Frances Smith. Seated: Edith Schmid.

String sections, working as a unit, strum through piece.

STRING QUINTET

Dave McMullen, Don McPherson, Charles Axton, Milton Messick, Marvin Sorg.
Right: With intent expressions Trojans struggle through a new score.

1. "A toast!" proposes Stan Lamar as fellow conspirator Jerry Scott attempts to close a deal with John Conerus.

2. Joleen Knapp and Margaret Nason glory over their gambling success.

To Holland amid song

THE RED MILL

Singing their way around "The Red Mill" the music department of Troy enjoyed the success of two full houses. With romantic entanglements developing one after another in Victor Herbert fashion, the mysterious atmosphere of "In Old New York" managed to find its way into the stage setting of colorful Holland. Gaily costumed dancers, chorus, and orchestra added to the merriment.

The Burgomaster's daughter wanted to marry a young sailor instead of her father's choice of suitor. The result was melodious comedy, conflict, and romance. With musical triumphs like "You Never Can Tell About A Woman," "Because You're You," and "Go While the Going's Good," the audiences knew they had witnessed a superior performance.

CAST

ina.....Priscilla Colton
on Kidder.....Stan Lamar
id Conner.....Jerry Scott
uliana.....Patricia Kirk
ov. of Zeeland.....Maurice Casey
lenrik Van Damm.....Franklyn Houdek
retchen.....Barbara Cross
urgomaster.....John Conerus
ountess De LeFere.....Jeanne Joslin
Villem.....John Reppart
Franz.....Bob Brooks
Mr. Pennyfeather.....Jack Greenwood
Daughters of Joshua Pennyfeather—Marimae Voiland, Doris Forney, Cynthia Davis, Jeanie Hunter, Donna Barrett, Gwen Atkinson.
Sons of the Countess — Richard Duran, Bill Wright, Ira Norberg, Jerry Hoover, Jerry Tipton.

3. On the "Isle of Our Dreams"—Franklyn Houdek serenades Barbara Cross.

4. Barbara Cross escapes from the Red Mill while crowd detains black-clad Bob Brooks.

Among chords and scales

BAND AND ORCHESTRA

TROJAN ORCHESTRA

DIRECTORS: C. J. McKee, Robert A. Rue.

VIOLINS: Dick Hutton (Concertmaster), Eleanor Herr, Dave McMullen, Annalee Smith, Alan Lomax, Don McPherson, Fredrica Voiland, Evert Rockey, Frances Smith (Principal), Peggy Frommer, Marjory Messick, Larry Lauer, Barbara Border, Barbara Lynn, Marilyn Bronson, Lois Emrick, Robert Willis, Larry Christian. VIOLA: Edith Schmid (Principal), Marvin Sorg, Shirley Rogers. CELLO: Milton Messick (Principal), Donna Howey, Betty Palmer, Margaret Nason, Charlene Brown, Darrell Parnell, Bill Thiessen. STRING BASS: Barbara Dean (Principal), Margaret Moore, David Hinken, Charles Axton, Allen Anderson, Cleophus Johnson. HARP: Marjorie Bauman. PIANO: Jerry Scott. ORGAN: Gwen Atkinson. FLUTE: Jo Anna Fisher, Lenore Matthews, Norma Owen, Chlora Lee Pelton. PICCOLO: Douglas Smith. CLARINET: Jim Bennett, Betty Buchmeier, Robert Breithaupt, Patty Rogers, Marilyn Moore, Bernard Miles. ALTO CLARINET: Mary Ellen Grebe. BASS CLARINET: Betty Hood. OBOE: Carlene Johnson, Harriet Hull. ENGLISH HORN: Margaret Shoemaker. BASSOON: Peggy Hughes, Norman Marshall. ALTO SAXOPHONE: Jo Ann McClelland, Ted Glenn. TENOR SAXOPHONE: John Conerus, James McGary. BARITONE SAXOPHONE: Ted Glenn. TRUMPET: Marilyn Shufler, Marilyn John, Jerry Reddick. HORN: Franklyn Houdek, Bob Sutton, Ralph Reid. TROMBONE: Jerry Goodell, Paul Davis, Lela June Stoner. TUBA: Clifford Henry. PERCUSSION: P. K. Worley, Earlene Kirkpatrick, Larry Flickinger, Jerry Scott. TYMPANI: P. K. Worley. MARIMBA: Jariel Schmidt.

TROJAN BAND

DIRECTORS: C. J. McKee, Robert A. Rue.

FLUTE: Jo Anna Fisher, Pat Kirk, Norma Owen, Shirley Beach, Robert Winn, Betty Palmer, Betty Davis, Lenore Matthews, Barbara Bradstreet, Jean Hardisty, Ann Norris. PICCOLO: Douglas Smith, Pat Kirk. OBOE: Harriet Hull, Carlene Johnson. ENGLISH HORN: Margaret Shoemaker. BASSOON: Peggy Hughes, Wallace Pinger. CLARINET: Jim Bennett, Donna Harsch, Patty Rogers, Marvin Breithaupt, Robert Breithaupt, Doug Sheafor, Betty Buchmeier, Jack Perry, Eldon Pedigo, Barbara Bolen, Roberta Brandenburg, Donna Gilbert, Steve Fink, Ann Colvin, Mary Jane Deitrick, Emma Lou Fox, Peggy Fry, Danny Holcomb, Victor Blankenship, Marilyn Kelling, Phil Munoz. E FLAT CLARINET: Mary Helen Platt. ALTO CLARINET: Mary Ellen Grebe. BASS CLARINET: Betty Hood. ALTO SAXOPHONE: Jo Ann McClelland, Ted Glenn, Jerry Dawson, Linda Grange, Clinton Stalker, Gene Lynch, Duane Workman. TENOR SAXOPHONE: John Conerus, Phyllis Cain, Alan Walker, Don McPherson. CORNET AND TRUMPET: Dan Robison, Delbert Downs, Marilyn Shufler, Jerry Reddick, Marilyn John, Jo Ann Myrick, Peggy Burns, Dan Haegert, Darwin Lehning, Ronnie Burns, Patty Cravens, Robert Miller, Bernie Stouffer, James Glenn, Bob Whitfield, Alan Van Nice. HORN: Franklyn Houdek, Bob Sutton, Eleanor Herr, Charles Boyd, Floyd Clark, Ralph Reid. BARITONE: Russell Beasley, Bill Thiessen, Eugene Carnahan, Byron Beasley, Harry Harrison. TUBA: Clifford Henry, Marvin Sorg, Allen Anderson, Jack Bruce, Ronald Armstrong. TROMBONE: Jerry Goodell, Milton Messick, Paul Davis, David Hinken, James D. Swartzel, Lela June Stoner, Lois Force, Ted Weidman, Bill Nason, Marjorie Roe, Cynthia Tilton, Jim Bearce. PERCUSSION: P. K. Worley, Larry Flickinger, Earlene Kirkpatrick. TYMPANI: P. K. Worley. HARP: Marjorie Bauman. DRUM MAJORS: Peggy Hughes, Margaret Shoemaker. TWIRLERS: Charlotte Frickey, Shirley Boise, Donna Skidmore.

The Trojan Band started a most successful year by marching in several Fall parades. It was indispensable at football and basketball games, lending life and color. After the Spring concert a dance was held, featuring Jerry Dawson's dance band. A vocal ensemble, The Trojanaires, was another "new" added this year.

New uniforms of the Topeka High Symphony Orchestra were quickly put to use last Fall, when the group played for the State Teachers' Association in November. Later they had a great part in the success of the operetta and school plays. At their Spring concert Gwen Atkinson and Charles Axton were featured with original compositions.

GIRLS' SENIOR GLEE

Row 1: Messick, Johnson, Casebier, Allen, Eldien, Payne, Peterson, Nelson, Patton, Stockwell, Ransom, Benson, Garrigues, Fluke, McDonald, Butler, Newman, Howard, Atkinson, Schad.
Row 2: Don M. Gleckler (director), Buchmeier, McDonald, Colton, Patrick, Bronson, King, Baker, Caulkins, Grame, Howard, Schmidt, Heil, Erwin, Hughes, Cowie, Giddings, Rosenwald, Gray, Bills, Crane.
Row 3: Pollom, Choguill, Grange, Nason, Baughman, Barrett, Laird, Frey, Mize, Ecord, Holst, Downey, Waylan, Austin, Osborn, Hopkins, Hammond, Jordan.
Row 4: Baird, Wise, Thompson, Taggart, Knapp, Oliver, Koehler, Voiland, Hetherington, Patrick, McDonald, Snyder, Lewis, Self, Bristow, Slack, Miller, Stitt, Smith.

BOYS' SENIOR GLEE

Row 1: Deitz, Mai, Howard, Conerus, Tipton, Sheppard, Zimmerman, Downs, Williams, Hicks, Kerbs (accompanist).
Row 2: Don M. Gleckler (director), Thomas, Boon, Taylor, Walker, West, Bunten, Hutton, Everett, Thompson.
Row 3: Ramos, Fuller, Webber, Glenn, Bervert, Pasley, Stewart, Duran, Brown, Williams, Spicer, Meyers.

With harmony

GLEE CLUBS

Always bringing credit to Topeka High School, the Boys' and Girls' Senior Glee Clubs, directed by Don M. Gleckler, performed in public many times. Presenting a major portion of the Christmas assembly and appearing in "The Red Mill" the group kept busy during the winter. In the Spring they presented short programs at all the junior high schools.

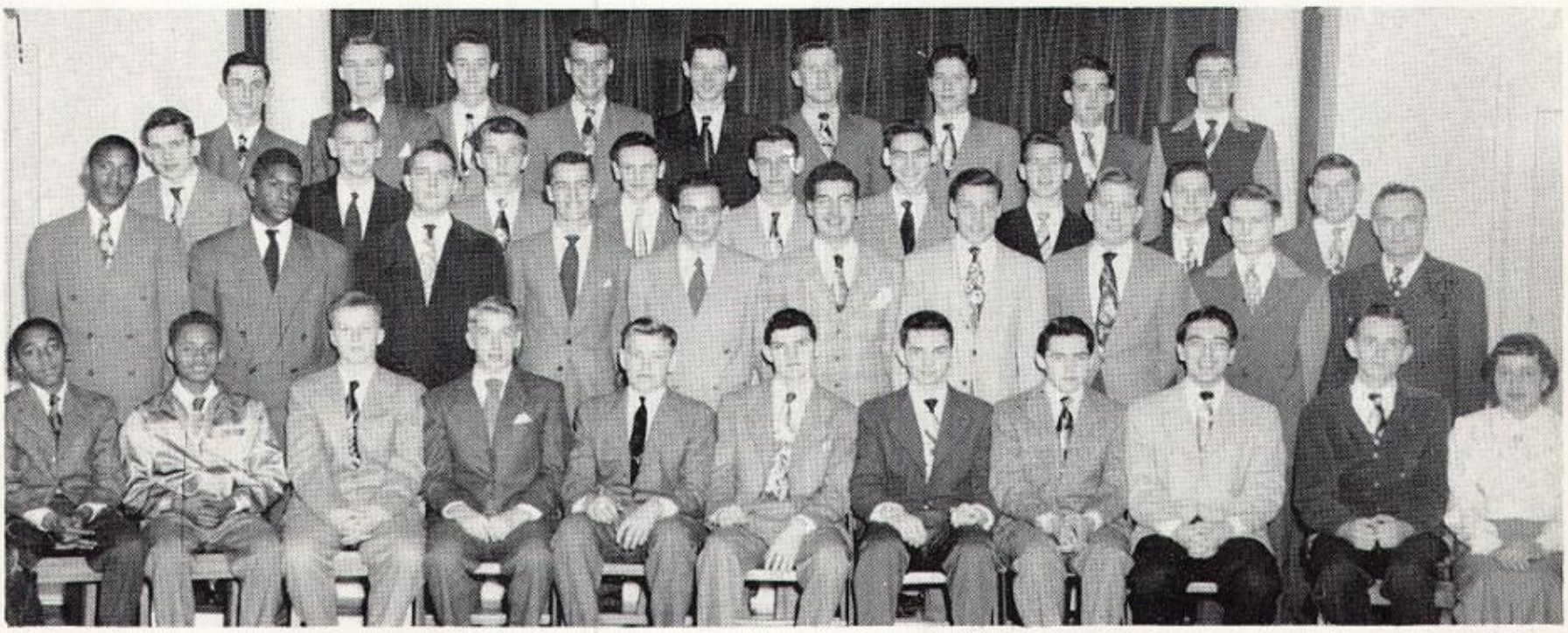
Under the direction of Richard Blehm, members of the Boys' Junior Glee Club received valuable music training. The singers performed for assemblies and presented programs at several local schools.

Topeka High's music department sent entries to the Lawrence and Emporia festivals. Those receiving "1" ratings at Lawrence were:

Girls' Violin Quartet—Eleanor Herr, Annalee Smith, Frances Smith, Fredrica Voiland, Edith Schmid, accompanist.
String Quartet—Dave McMullen, violin; Don McPherson, violin; Marvin Sorg, viola; Milton Messick, cello; Charles Axton, piano.
Sophomore Clarinet Quartet—Mike Beardslee, Shirley Curtis, Robert Golightly, Charles Mathias.
Girls' Clarinet Quartet—Barbara Bolen, Betty Buchmeier, Donna Harsch, Patty Rogers.
Piano—Janis Brown, June Hartzell, Patty Fink, Eleanor Jones.
Violin—Eleanor Herr, Don McPherson.
Baritone—Bill Thiessen.
Flute—JoAnna Fisher, Bob Winn.
Vocal Solos—Maurice Casey, Marian Haskell, Franklyn Houdek, Jeanne Joslin, Margaret Lester, Barbara Miller, Jerry Tipton, Carol Walker.
Choruses—Choir, Girls' Senior Glee, Boys' Senior Glee, Madrigals, Boys' Junior Glee, Sophomore Girls' Ensemble, Boys' Quartet, Boys' Ensemble, Mixed Octet.

Receiving "1" ratings at the Emporia State music festival were:

String Quartet: Dave McMullen, Don McPherson, Marvin Sorg, Milton Messick, and Charles Axton.
Clarinet Quartet: Robert Golightly, Shirley Curtis, Charles Mathias, and Mike Beardslee.
Madrigal Singers—14 voices.
Solos: Maurice Casey, Jeanne Joslin.



BOYS' JUNIOR GLEE

Front Row: J. Gilreath, S. McClain, G. Hyle, H. Lyngar, C. Ijams, H. Canniff, F. Terry, B. Smith, B. Barnes, R. Ladbury, M. Pressman (pianist).
Row 2: L. Hatcher, J. Gardenhire, R. Kibbler, B. Lillard, D. Douglas, C. Brady, K. Schowengerdt, D. Spicer, L. Adair, Richard Blehm (instructor).
Row 3: T. Arnold, C. Goff, B. Norris, B. Stuenkel, D. Kratochvil, E. Meyer, R. Haas, W. Harden, D. Marsh.
Back Row: V. Artzer, F. Willis, B. Johnson, B. Cook, C. Abell, L. Strimple, D. Wood, H. Wood, D. Thompson.

MADRIGALS

Seated: Jeanne Joslin, Priscilla Colton, Richard Duran, Patsy Lowther, Stan Lamar, Margaret Lester, Barbara Cross.

Standing: Marcia Klugg, Bob Brooks, Doris Forney, Sam Deitz, Pat Kirk, Jerry Hutchison, Billie Kling, John Reppart, Kathryn Jury, Maurice Casey.

For a melody

MADRIGALS AND CHOIR

Something new in the way of vocal music was added to the department this year. The mixed choir of 65 voices performed in several assemblies, for civic programs, and in the spring concert. Looking trim in black robes with gold streamers, this new organization proved a definite success.

To be a member of Madrigals is considered the highest honor attained by vocal students of Topeka High. The group has sung at many school assemblies and has presented numerous programs for groups not affiliated with Topeka High. In the Spring the Madrigals went to St. Louis to attend the National Music Conference.

CHOIR

Front Row: B. Kling, B. Miller, P. Colton, M. Haskell, F. Houdek, P. Kirk, R. Duran, M. Payton, I. Norberg, J. Carpenter, S. Lamar, I. True, J Hutchison, D. Forney, P. Warren, G. Atkinson, P. Fink.

Row 2: C. Davis, K. Jury, M. Klugg, B. Weaver, P. Piatt, J. Hartzell, M. Voiland, M. Hetherington, S. Scott, A. Huke, C. Keith, R. Smith, J. Bray P. Lowther, P. Hale, J. Greenwood, Don Gleckler (director).

Row 3: J. Joslin, J. Brown, J. Reppart, B. Frakes, F. Stratton, B. Brooks, J. Hearn, D. Sodergren, J. Peck, J. Conerus, R. Mai, P. Kerbs, L. Snyder S. Westlund.

Back Row: J. Murphy, M. Lester, B. Cross, K. Schulte, J. Scott, M. Hansen, D. Drennon, J. Munk, J. Huffman, P. Mathews, S. Sears, J. McClelland F. Fry, J. Hunter.

QUILL AND SCROLL

Front Row: Mann, Sawyer, Marsh, Lamb, Bartos, Ensign, Schad, Garner.
Row 2: Carpenter, Coble, Pressman, Herr, Howard, Clark, Geyer, Bostrom, Hamilton.
Back Row: Groendycke, McMullen, Brent, Brown, Casper, Roach, Bennett.

From beginners to veteran reporters

PRESS CLUBS

Quill and Scroll, International Honorary Society for High School Journalists, was created for the purpose of honoring students whose writing, scholarship, and service were exemplary, and who, through effort and patience, have become a part of the journalism department.

Officers were George Lamb, president; Virginia Bartos, vice-president; Nancy Marsh, secretary-treasurer; Marilyn Mann, student sponsor of Junior Press, and Miss Ruth E. Hunt, sponsor.

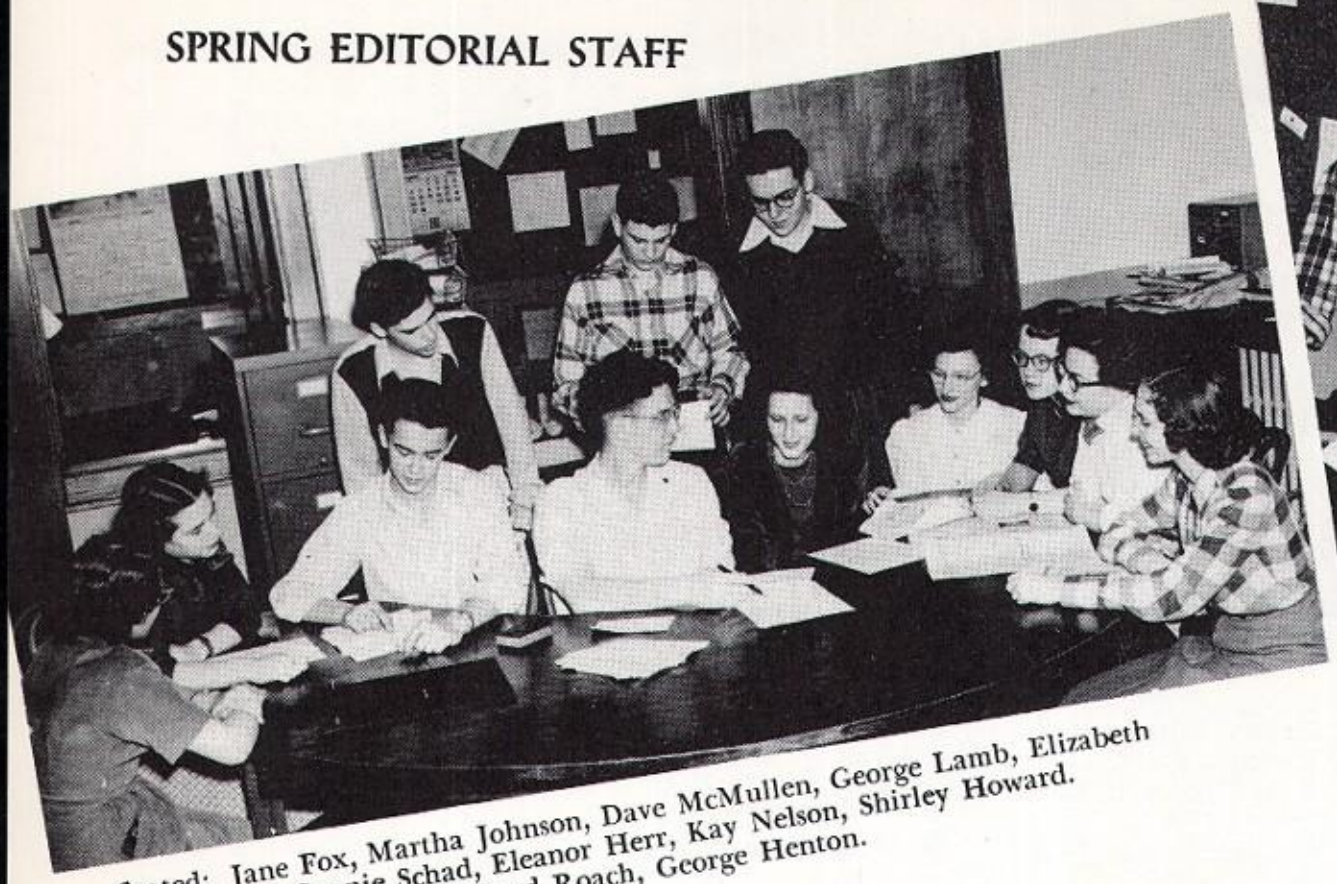
Experience teaches, and indeed it does, according to Junior Press Club members who served as handy helpers on the Sunflower and World staffs. The climax of the year for Press Club members came when they published one edition of the World.

Aha! The unsupervised edition of the World! But it looks as if the Sunflower staff is having its share of the fun, too. From left to right: Lamb, Marsh, Bartos, Sawyer, Coble, McMullen, Schad.

JUNIOR PRESS CLUB

Front Row: Valdivia, Warner, Carnahan, Mize, Heil, Jeffrey, Whitney, Boyd, Glover.
Row 2: Rodrigues, Steves, Hughes, Scrinopski, Stoner, Rusk, Keim, Kenworthy, Dunn, White, Anderson.
Back Row: Smith, White, Brooks, Kruse, Canfield, Brinker.

SPRING EDITORIAL STAFF



Seated: Jane Fox, Martha Johnson, Dave McMullen, George Lamb, Elizabeth Garner, Connie Schad, Eleanor Herr, Kay Nelson, Shirley Howard.
Standing: Larry Heil, Richard Roach, George Henton.

FALL BUSINESS STAFF

Seated: Bill Carpenter.
Standing: Jim Bennett, Alice Clark, Ray Morris, Kay Cade, Jeanne Spencer.

Behind the news

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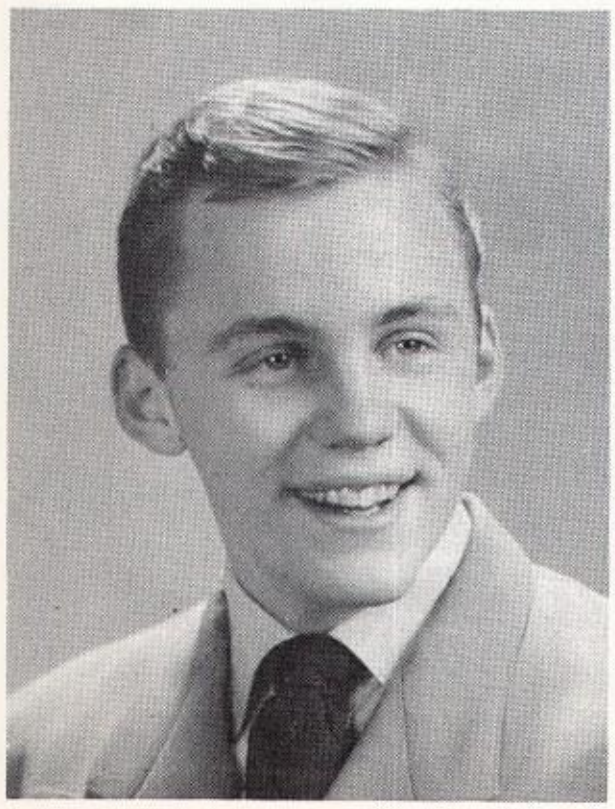
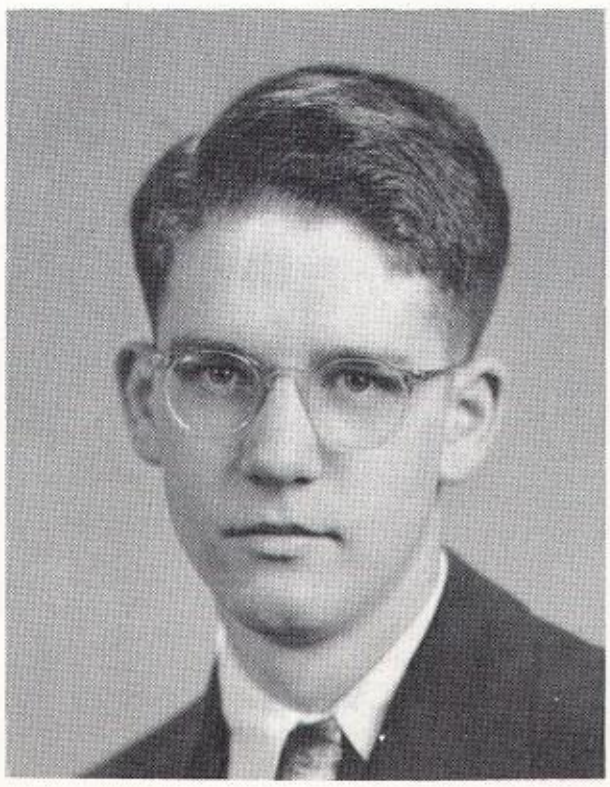


Hugh Groendycke
Fall Editor



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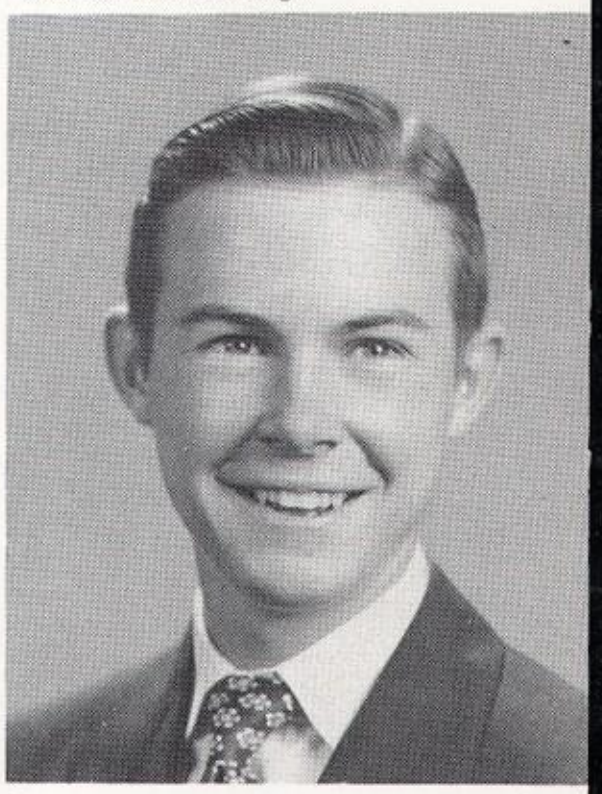

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Eldon Pedigo ..... Business Secretary
Shirley Howard ..... Filing Clerk
Kay Cade ..... Mailing Clerk

Left: Lorraine Bostrom, Connie Sawyer, Arthur Casper, Hugh Groendycke, Charles Axton, George Lamb, Charles Keith, Pat Johnson, Virginia Golightly, Francis Geyer.
Below: Nancy Brinker, Jim Bennett, Doris Derrington, Sara J. Billings, Jan Coble, Dennise Warner, Verna Lee Carnahan.

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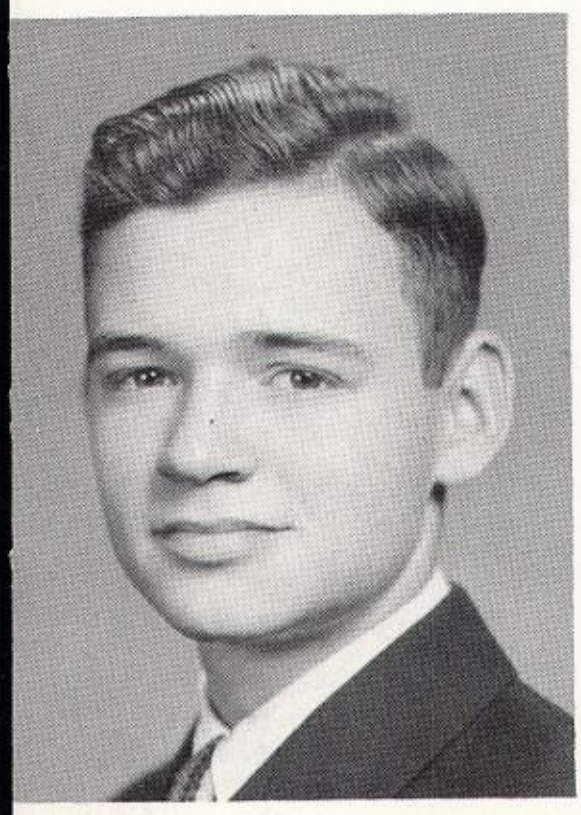

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an Coble, James Dougan ..... Down the Avenue
ay Morris ..... Distribution

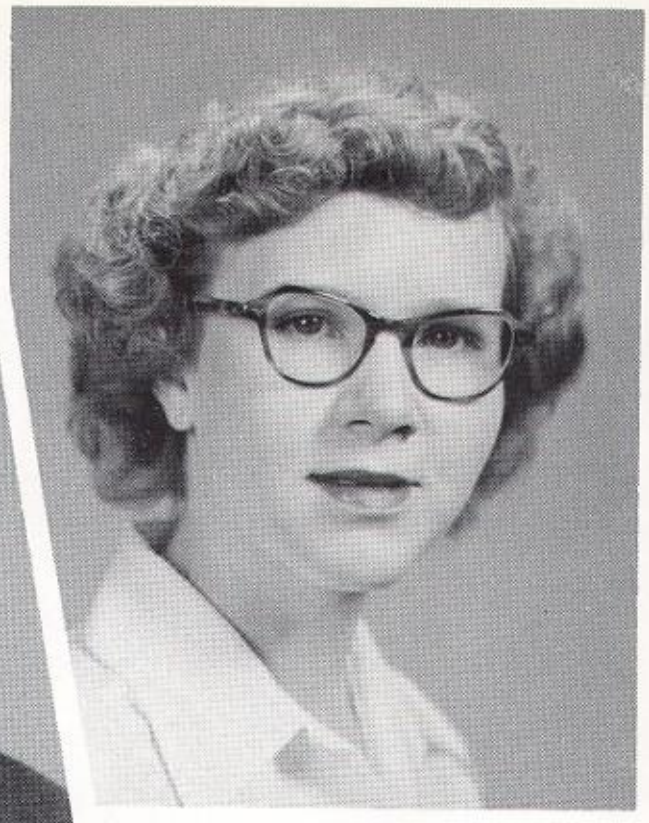
"What's news?" What wasn't news to the World staffs who had the busy task of keeping a hop, skip, and a jump ahead of all that happened in Troy! From the first introductory issue, to the final "30" in May, the staffs scribbled away to bring you accounts of Trojan activities—and from the reception given the paper every Friday, they succeeded.

Under the direction of Editor Hugh Groendycke, and Business Manager Bill Carpenter, the Fall World covered the news efficiently. Highlight of the semester, the All-School Party, found World writers hindered by the secrecy surrounding the big event, and—to their sorrow—they didn't get a scoop on the identity of the King and Queen.

At mid-year, the Spring World saw George Lamb in the editor's chair, and Jim Bennett handling ads. After reporting many Spring activities, journalists went crazy for a week. Result? The polychromatic April Fool issue! They regained enough dignity, however, to edit the State Journal on April 4.

Two new columns, Student Congress News and "Meet Your School Board" proved favorites with World readers.

Marjorie Pressman
Business Manager



Virginia Bartos
Editor

Nancy Marsh
Assistant Editor

Helen Hamilton
Associate Editor

Through memories

SUNFLOWER

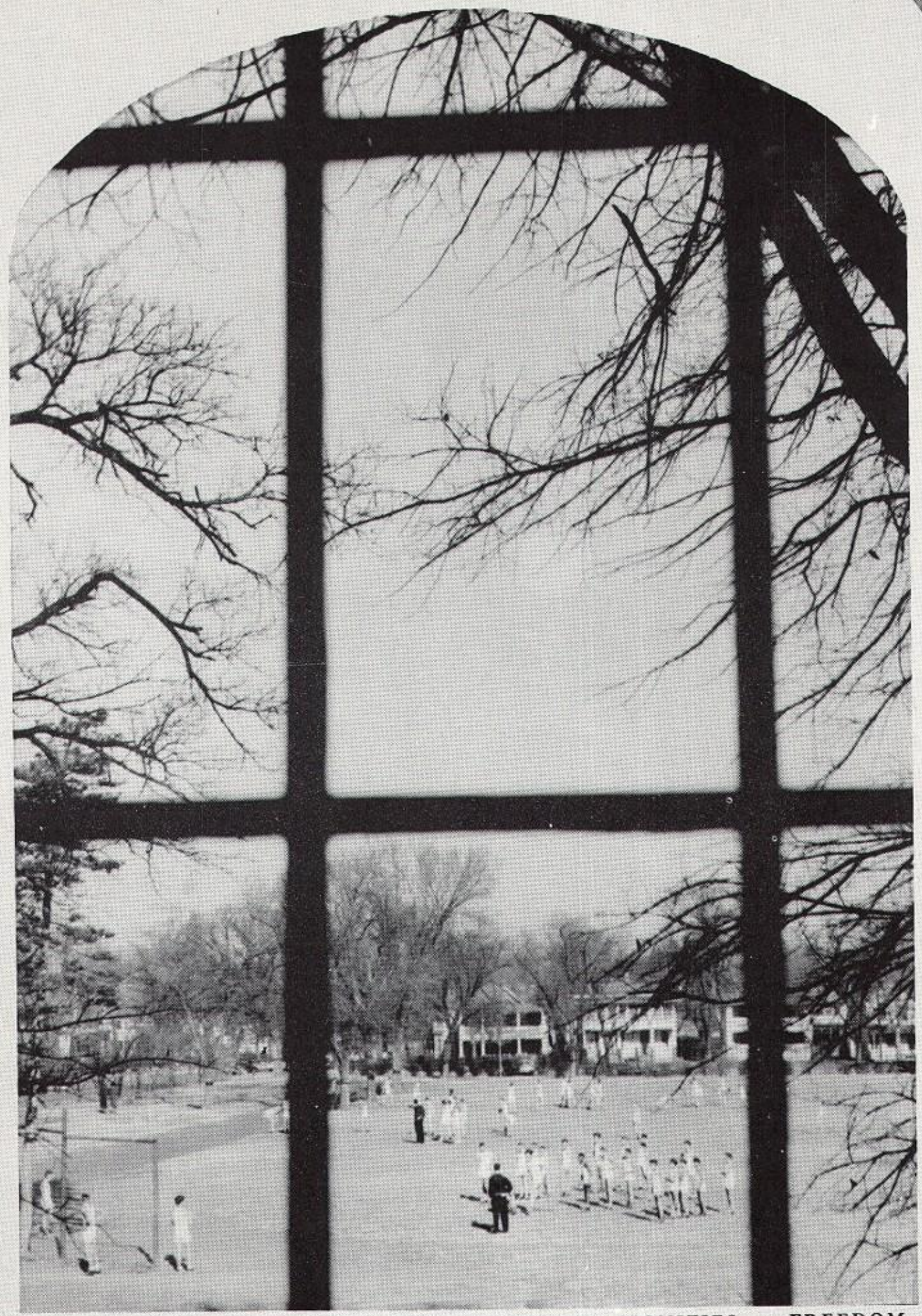
Becoming editor or business manager – or even associate editor, assistant editor or assistant business manager – of the Sunflower doesn't just happen suddenly. It involves a long, tedious apprenticeship.

Three months before most Trojans even began thinking of school, work was started on the 1950 Sunflower. Pages were planned and finances figured, and a schedule of duties was made out that filled the days to the end of the following May.

Transforming football games, parties, and classroom moments into a book of "Windows" took energy and hours. Virginia Bartos, editor, aided by Helen Hamilton, associate editor, organized a capable staff. Nancy Marsh, assistant editor, had hundreds of details to plan and follow through. Marjorie Pressman, business manager, covered miles of sidewalks, seeking the advertising that largely finances the book. Harper Dougan, assistant business manager, aided in getting ads.

We, the Editors, thank the staff for helping make the 1950 Sunflower what it is.

AIR



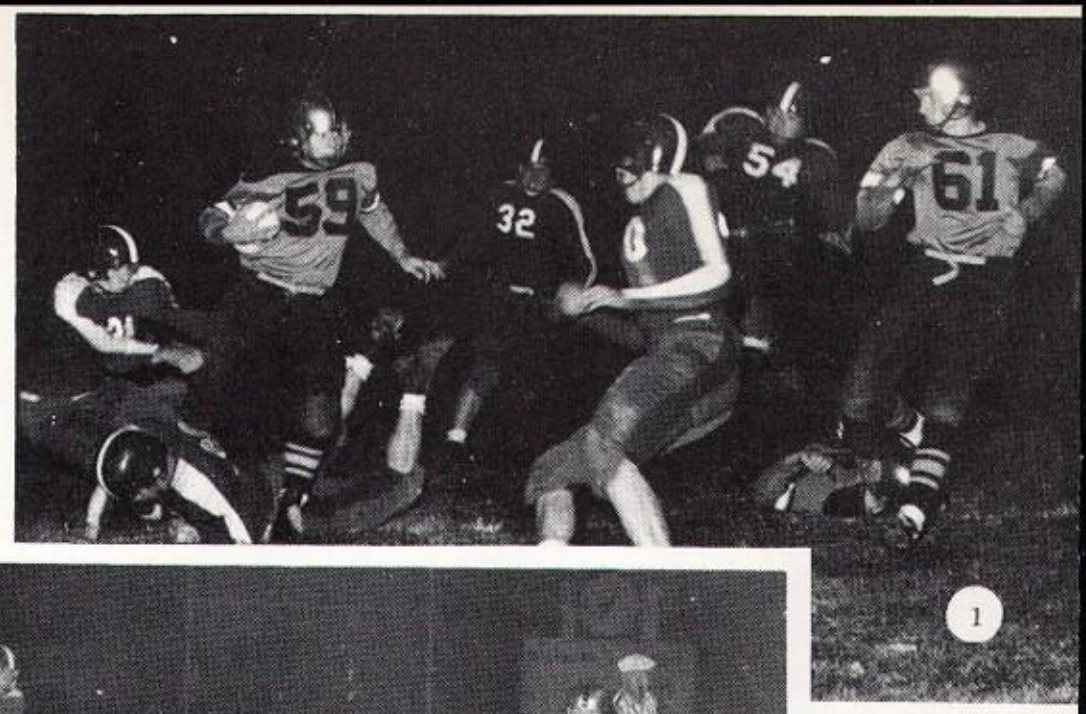
HELP US, GOD, TO REALIZE – WHAT A WINDOW SIGNIFIES . . . FREEDOM, LIGHT, A VIEW, AND AIR – AND THE WHOLE WIDE WORLD – OUT THERE.

AIR AND SPORTS

1950

A tall window covered with mesh and wire . . . lighting the floor for Trojan sportsmen as they clash against strong teams for the honor of Troy.

On the field
FOOTBALL



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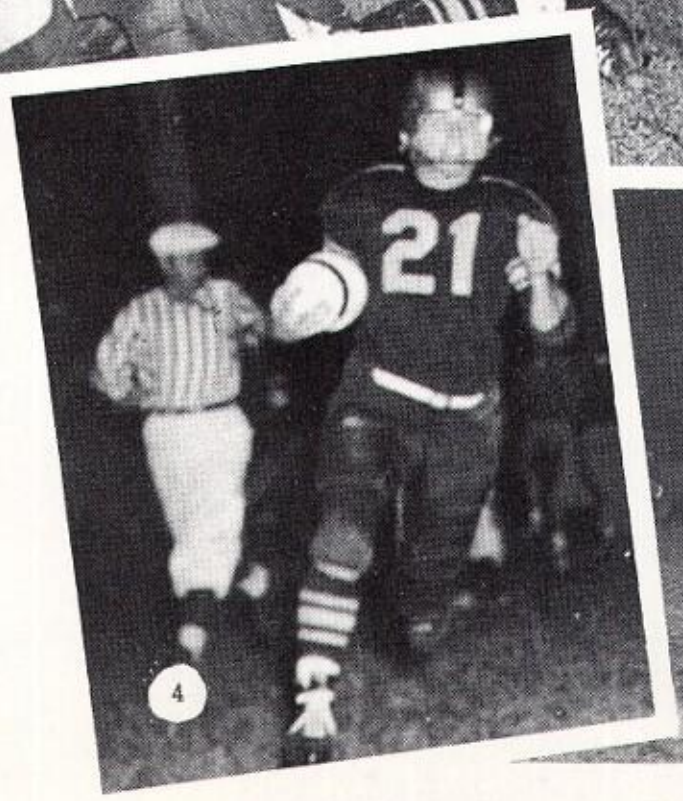

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1. Players scrimmage on the 30-yard line.

2. Opponent charges around left end.

3. With grim determination Darrell Hill battles through enemy's line for a first down.

4. Dean Boyles goes over for a touchdown!

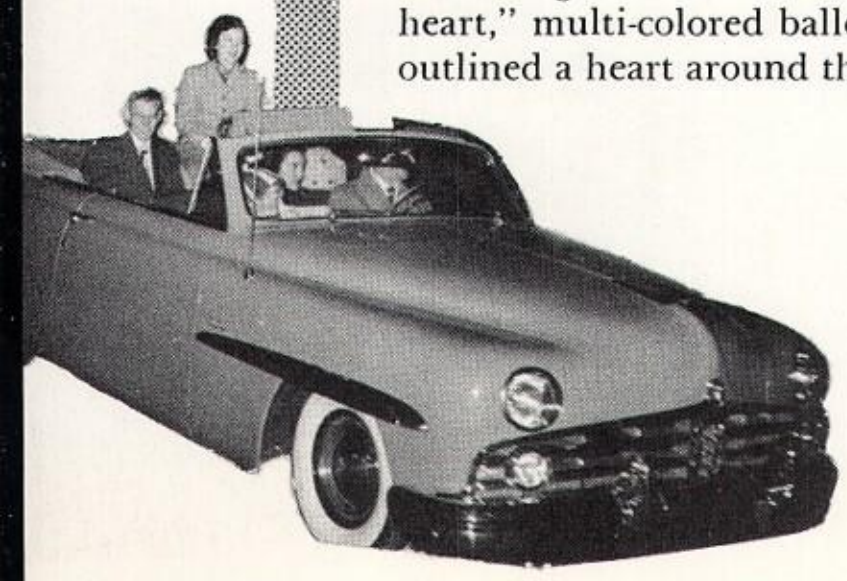
5. Trojan team rushes to block ball carrier.

Over the goalpost

HOMECOMING

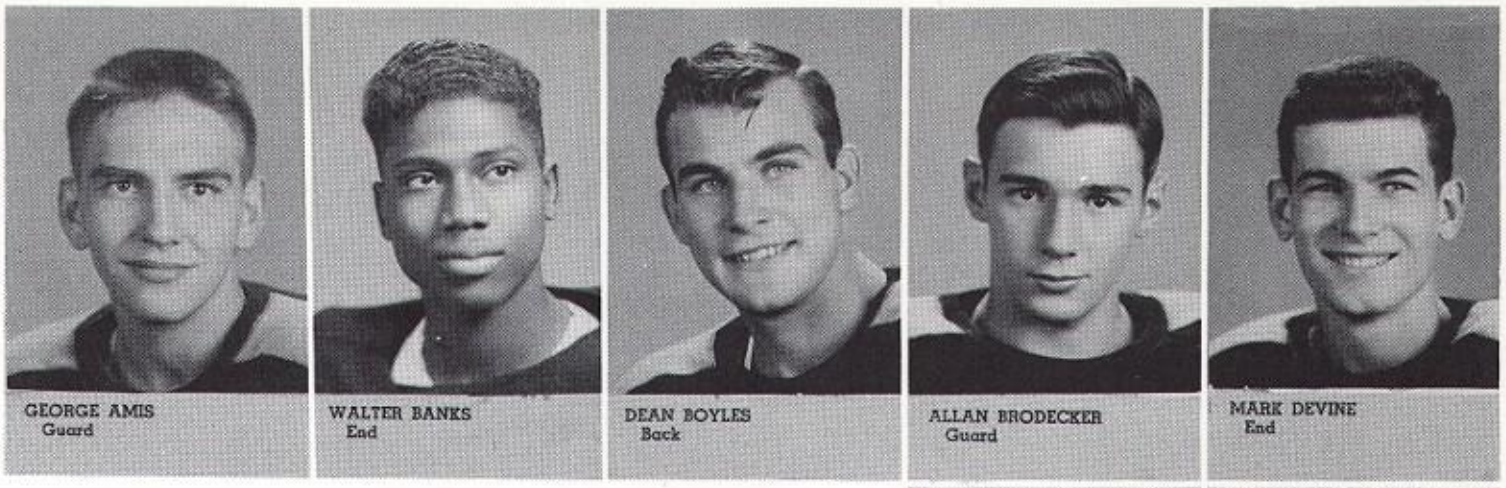
Queen Shirley

"Shirley Deniston, Topeka High Homecoming Queen for 1949!" Amid cheers, Shirley and her attendants, Betty Carmean and Norma Owens, were presented at the half-time of the Topeka-Wichita game. As the band played, "Let Me Call You Sweetheart," multi-colored balloons held by members of the Pep Club outlined a heart around the throne in the center of Moore Bowl



ecoming crowd cheers Shirley Denis-and escort Dick Hadley, who are g in convertible.

Royal party, Dick Hadley, Shirley Deniston, Bill Carpenter, Norma Owens, Betty Carmean, and P. K. Worley, view final half of game from grandstand.



GEORGE AMIS
Guard

WALTER BANKS
End

DEAN BOYLES
Back

ALLAN BRODECKER
Guard

MARK DEVINE
End

DEAN ERWIN
Tackle

H. C. FIELDS
Center

ROGER GINAVAN
End

GERALD GLASGOW
Guard

DARRELL HILL
Tackle

DICK HUTTON
Back

ALEX LUNA
Guard

DICK LYLE
Back

Between halves

THE GRIDMEN

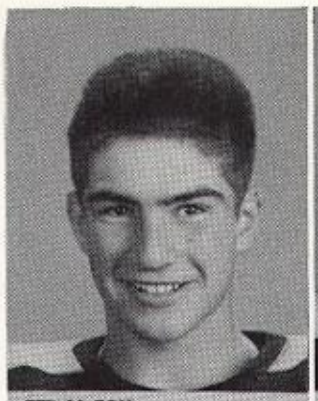
Although it didn't rack up the best record in the state, the 1949 Topeka High football team need offer no apologies. The gridmen wearing the Black and Gold were giving their all to the House of Troy every minute they were on the field. Under the able tutelage of Bob Briggs and Mel Seelye, a top team was developed that was always on hand to give opponents a real battle and the faithful fans a real thrill.

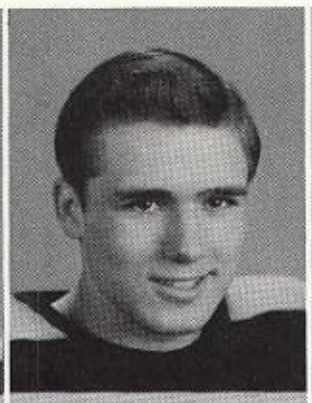
Hutchinson's Salthawks invaded Moore Bowl for the first encounter of the season. After outplaying the Hawks the entire first half and having a touchdown called back because of a penalty, Topeka's gold clad warriors dropped a heartbreaker, 7-0.

One good heartbreaker sometimes leads to another. In Topeka High's case, this proved true, for eleven busloads of Topeka rooters made the trip to Lawrence, only to see our arch rival edge by in a 6-0 thriller that was tough to lose and sweet to win.

Fans listening to the Topeka-Emporia game at the varsity had their thrills, as Topeka pulled a tie game out of the fire in the waning seconds. With five seconds remaining, Dean Boyles crashed through the Emporia line, going over the goal line just as the gun ended the game.

With their offense in full gear, the Trojans played host to a previously undefeated Ward aggregation and ground out an impressive 39-13 win before a Dads' Night and Jalopy Parade crowd.


TED McCOY
Tackle


BOB McCULLOUGH
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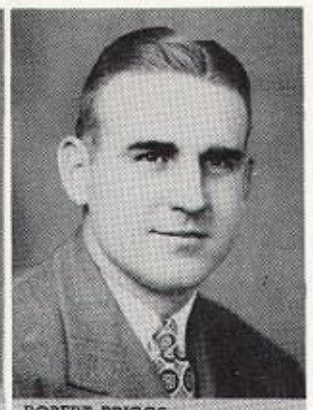
CLIFFORD LEWIS
Manager

SAM DEITZ
Manager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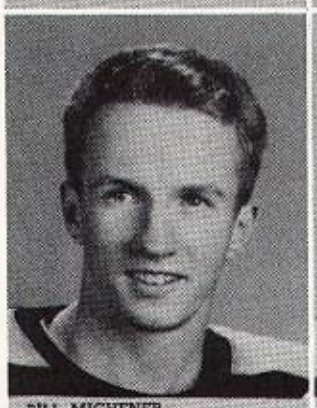
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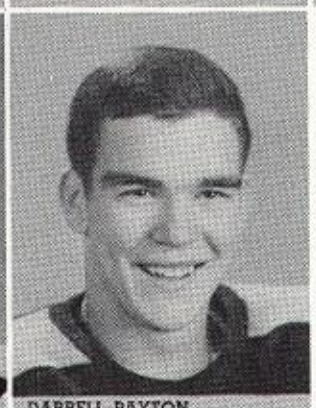
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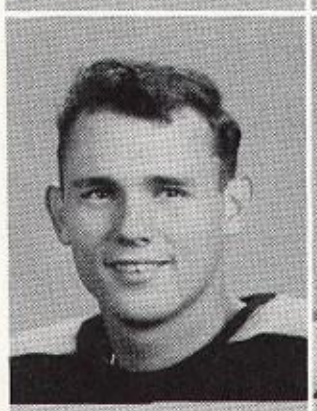
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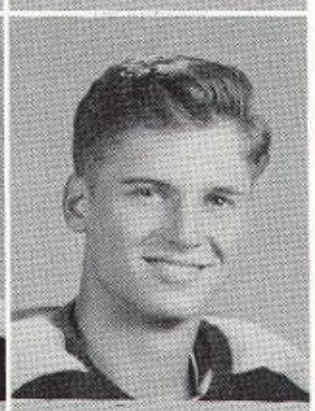
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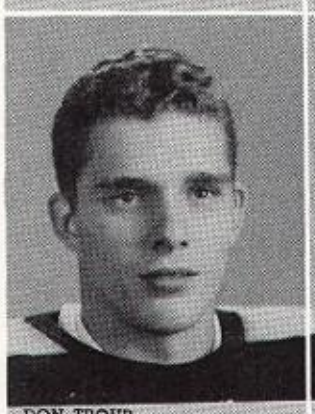
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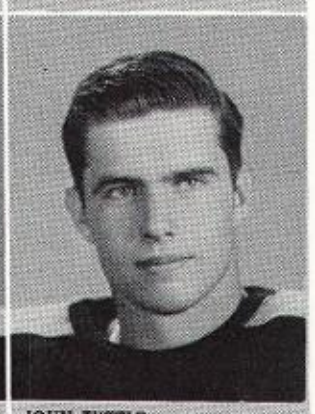
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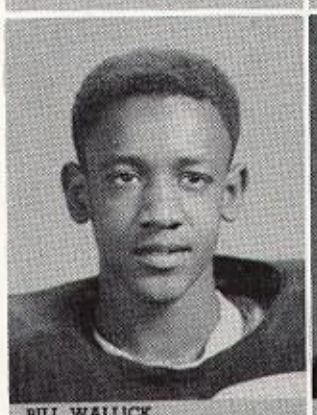
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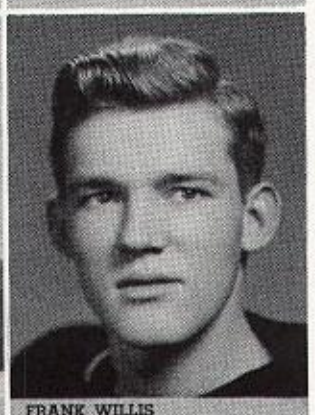

FRANK WILLIS
Center

With hopes high, the Black and Gold invaded Wichita East, only to be stunned by a chap named Ronnie Mayo, who threw 21 passes, completed 11 for 166 yards, and made three touchdowns, giving the Blue Aces a 26-12 win.

An undersized Haskell eleven invaded Troy and was humbled 25-0 by a well-balanced Trojan attack in which many underclassmen saw duty in the line.

Homecoming gave a favored Wichita North team its fight of the season before it eked out a 27-21 decision. Darrell Peyton and Dean Boyles were outstanding for Troy that night.

The Trojans then trekked to Great Bend to cop a 20-7 win on a windswept, rain-soaked field.

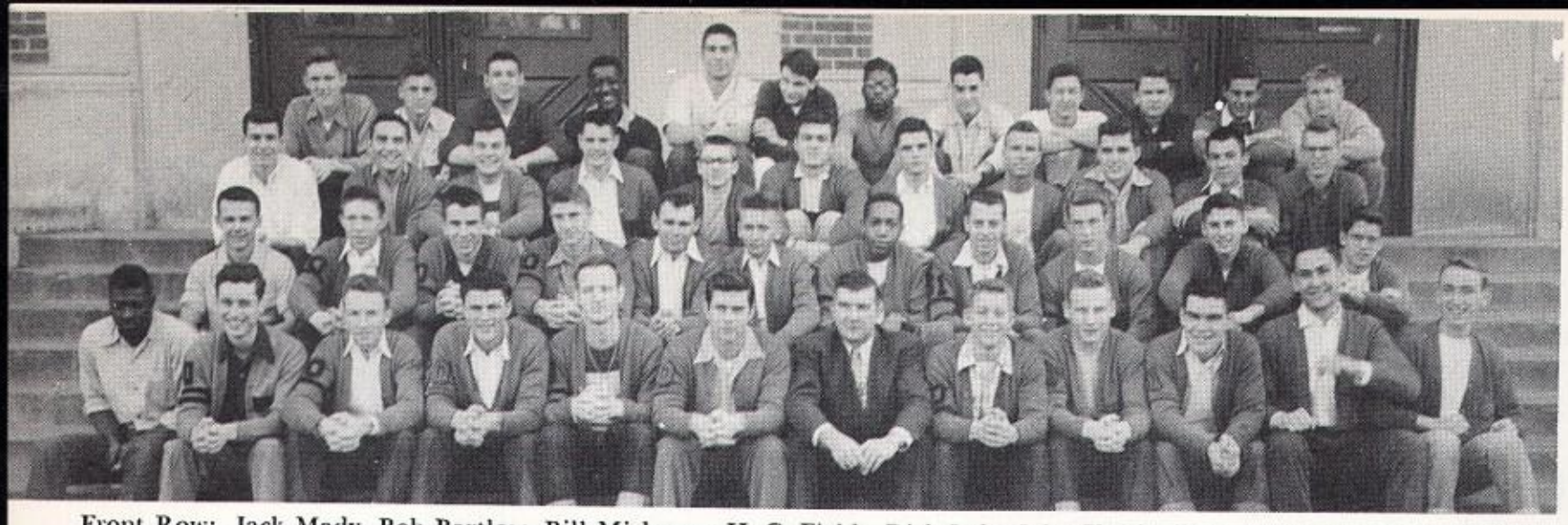
In the final game of the season Troy's hopes were vanquished at Wyandotte, as the Bulldogs, using the tricky split-T offense, rolled over a surprised Trojan team 42-21.

Dean Boyles was chosen for the second string on the official Daily Capital All-State team, and Darrell Hill, a Junior lineman, was awarded honorable mention.

Playing the toughest competition in the state, the team closed the season with four wins against five losses—a good record considering the opposition.

SCORES

Topeka	0	Hutchinson	7
Topeka	0	Lawrence	6
Topeka	6	Emporia	0
Topeka	39	Ward	13
Topeka	12	Wichita East	26
Topeka	25	Haskell	0
Topeka	21	Wichita North	27
Topeka	20	Great Bend	7
Topeka	21	Wyandotte	42



Front Row: Jack Mady, Bob Bartlow, Bill Michener, H. C. Fields, Dick Lyle, John Tuttle, D. L. Erwin (sponsor), Rodney Brown, Dick Hutton, Darrell Peyton, Darrell Hill, "Chuck" Valley.
Row 2: Clifford Lewis, Ronnie Burns, Dean Erwin, Richard Lewis, Eddie Ridgeway, Larry Munns, Bill Peterson, Charles Boyd, Tom Hartman, Ray Morris, Dick Dennis.
Row 3: Mark Devine, George Amis, Dean Boyles, Charles Nelson, Jimmy Allen, Jack Denton, John Bunten, Charles Keith, Don Troup, Alan Dickinson, Richard Hadley.
Back Row: Frank Willis, Bob Soucy, Allan Brodecker, Bill Wallick, Ted McCoy, Dale Ridgeway, Walter Banks, Roger Ginavan, Jack Grotewohl, Stuart Hazard, Connie Sneller, Jerry Scott.

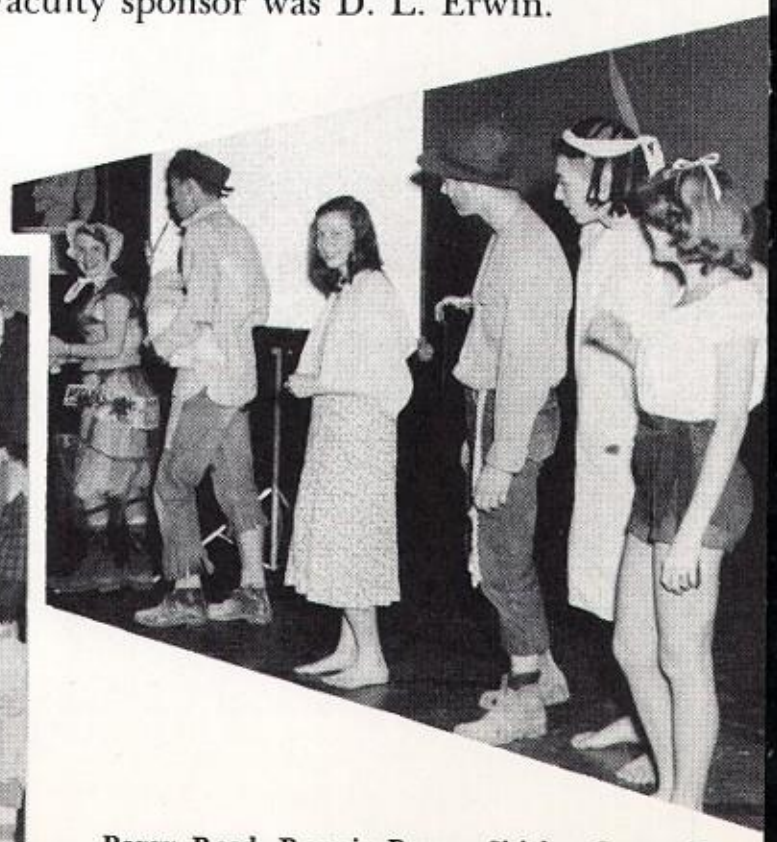
Among "T" Club follies

SADIE HAWKINS DAY

Organized to honor boys high in athletics, the "T" Club bands together representatives of all Trojan sports. Initiation into the "T" Club is an annual highlight, as candidates become the subject of the good-natured hazing from present members, while the rest of the school gets a good many laughs. Membership in the club is considered one of the year's big awards.

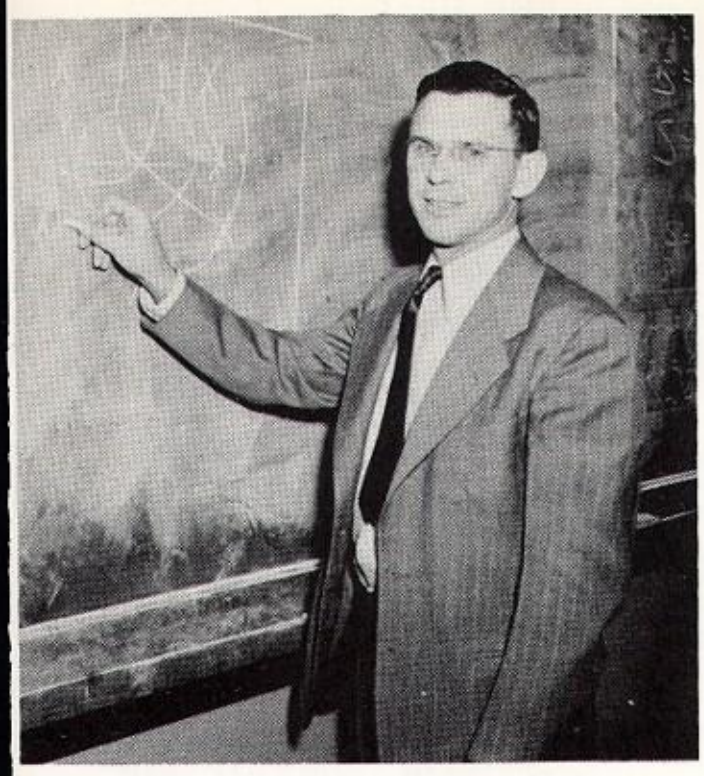
The annual Sadie Hawkins party, sponsored by this group, proved to be a howling success as Daisy Mae chased Li'l Abner all around the "dogpatch"—more commonly known as the cafeteria. Proceeds from the party purchased for the main gym a new electric timeclock, which got its initial workout at the state AA basketball tournament.

"T" Club officers, elected in the fall, included Don Troup, president; Bill Michener, vice-president; Dick Hadley, secretary-treasurer; and Dick Lyle, sergeant-at-arms. Faculty sponsor was D. L. Erwin.



1. "T" Club victims leapfrog their way through initiation.
2. Eva Aguilera, winner of door prize, is presented her booty by Don Troup, "T" Club president.
3. The "Sadie Hawkins" and their dates schottish.

Peggy Reed, Ronnie Burns, Shirley Gerry, Don Brown, "Skip" Dickinson, and Susan Sears model the best costumes of the evening.



"Chet" Davenport, retiring head basketball coach

COACHES

Front Row: Robert Briggs, Floyd Holcomb, Robert Gray, E. L. Fink, D. L. Erwin, Chester Davenport, Vernon Hayes.
Back Row: Charles Mills, Marvin Bayless, James Colton, James Willcoxon, Mel Seelye, Leo Thomas, W. J. Barnett.

On and off the field

COACHES

Two of Troy's good friends in the mentor field, "Chet" Davenport and Mel Seelye, will be absent from the coaching staff next year. Mr. Davenport will continue to teach math at Topeka High, but after 21 years resigned from the more strenuous task of coaching. He came to Troy in 1944 and that year took his first cage team to the semi-finals of the State Tournament.

Mr. Seelye will go to Hutchinson as head cage mentor and assistant football coach. He assisted Coach Davenport and was co-football coach at Troy this year.

Bob Briggs handled the varsity football squad with Mr. Seelye. Swimming was coached by "Chuck" Mills, and wrestling by Floyd Holcomb. D. L. "Heavy" Erwin supervised track; W. J. Barnett, tennis; Frank McGrath of Roosevelt, baseball; and E. L. Fink, golf.

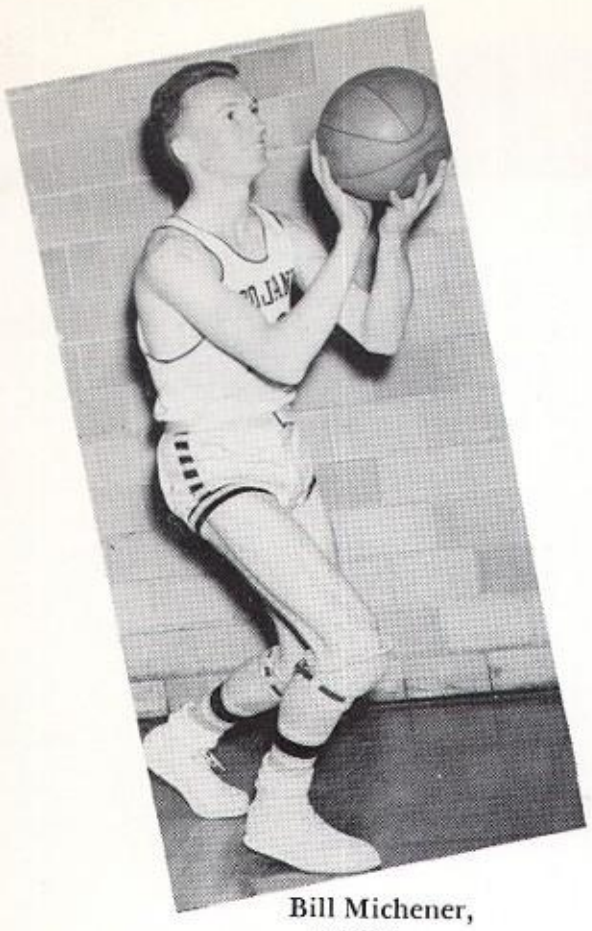
About half of the 65 varsity football men played the regular schedule. The rest, under Vernon Hays, assisted by Marvin Bayless, composed the "B" team. Robert Gray, Lloyd W. Kistler, Charles Mills, and Leo Thomas coached "C" team football. James Colton assisted with track.

"B" TEAM FOOTBALL

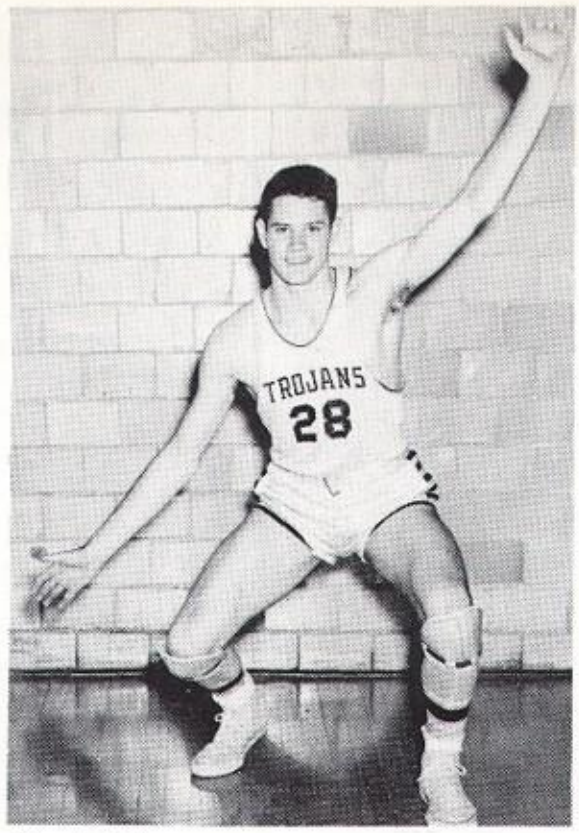
Front Row: B. Hobbs, B. Fields, F. Schmidt.
Row 2: J. Bass, J. Arbaiza, B. Pflughoft.
Row 3: D. Nudson, P. Coolidge, C. Moyer.
Row 4: D. Parnell, K. Schowengerdt, L. Peoples.
Row 5: B. Franklin, J. Johnson, A. Lewis.
Row 6: B. Davenport, D. Matson, G. Golliher, J. Quall, D. Gordon.
Row 7: R. Davenport, R. Murphy, R. Thompson, B. Miles, D. Wilkinson.
Row 8: W. Harden, J. Dixon, R. Hewitt, P. Galbreith.
Back Row: B. Reichert, J. Schlegel, Vernon Hayes (sponsor), L. Strimple, J. Pepper.

"C" TEAM FOOTBALL

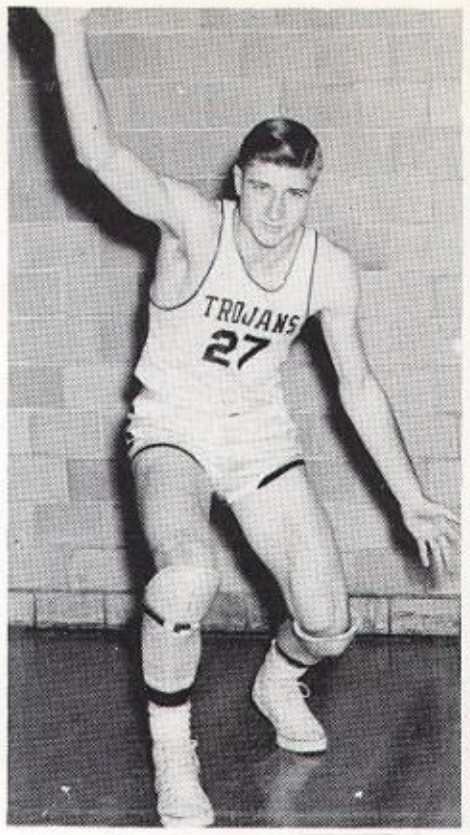
Front Row: B. Henson, N. Christman, D. Cole, D. Dickinson, H. Russell.
Row 2: F. Frazier, P. Mathews, D. Trott, M. Bennett, R. Kallen.
Back Row: Robert Gray (coach), J. Williams, O. Shinn, L. Wilson, Leo Thomas (coach).



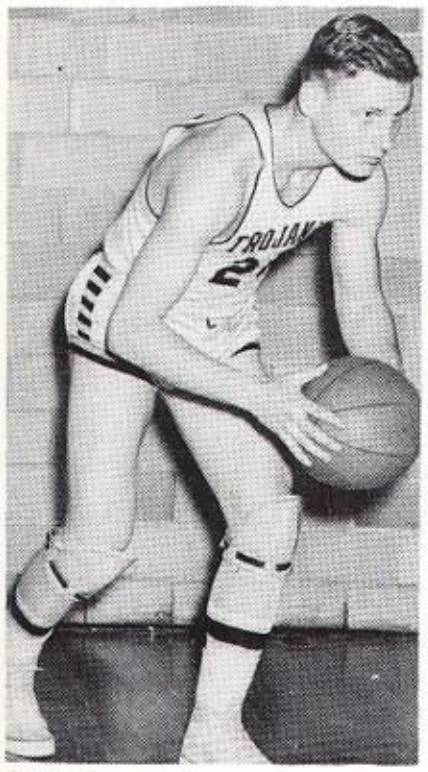
Bill Michener, center



Chuck Nelson, center



Richard Lewis, guard



Dick Hutton, forward

Eddie Ridgeway, guard

Up in the air

VARSITY

Trojan basketballers, coached by "Chet" Davenport, furnished the fans thrills, excitement, and even a few upsets during the 1949-50 campaign. Although the final record stood at eight games won and 17 lost, the team never lost its fight.

The Black and Gold started off with a bang, bashing Northeast of Kansas City 38-17 in the home court opener. With that start it seemed as if the local entry was going to be a real threat in the state competition, but soon Topeka hopes were to be vanquished.

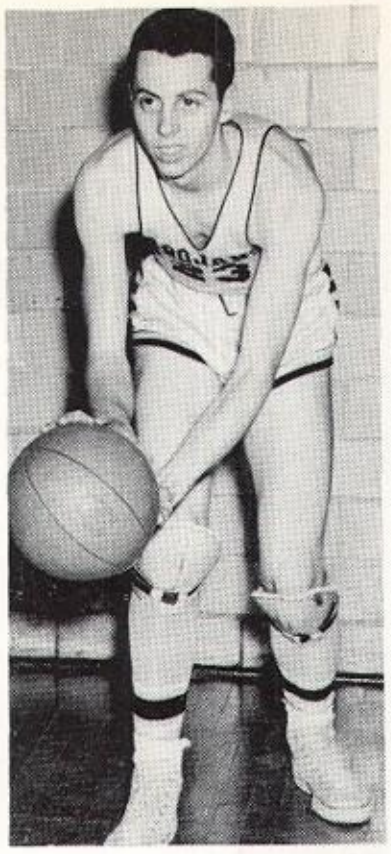
Salina invaded the home territory for the second game of the season. The eventual state champions were in hot water all the way, and the Trojans seemed to be headed for a certain victory. Four times during the contest the Trojans held a nine-point lead. Then in the final quarter, the lid for the game, and maybe the season, blew off. Troy began the final quarter leading 27-21, but the hard-driving Maroons racked up 17 points in this quarter to snatch the game.

One of the high points of the season came when Troy defeated its traditional rival, Lawrence, 46-33. Troy also whipped Wichita East, rated third in the state, 39-35.

In the regionals, Topeka High edged past Ottawa 40-38 to gain a berth in the state tourney in Topeka. Here Troy upset Shawnee Mission 45-31 to the delight of the Topeka fans, but lost to Newton, who later placed second in the state.

Dick Hadley, the only regular from the previous season, was elected honorary captain for the year.

Don Tipton, guard



Charlie Boyd, forward

Mark Devine, forward

Joan
Lots of luck &
be good next year
Don Tipton

Over the rim

BASKETBALL

SCORES

1949 - 1950

Topeka 38 — Northeast	17
Topeka 32 — Salina	38
Topeka 34 — Parsons	63
Topeka 31 — Chanute	34
Topeka 32 — Wyandotte	34
Topeka 46 — Lawrence	33
Topeka 50 — Emporia	68
Topeka 38 — Atchison	34
Topeka 38 — Ward	24
Topeka 39 — Wichita East	35
Topeka 44 — Emporia	58
Topeka 23 — Newton	39
Topeka 19 — Wyandotte	23
Topeka 43 — Wichita North	50
Topeka 32 — Ward	34
Topeka 42 — Atchison	31
Topeka 35 — Salina	56
Topeka 33 — Lawrence	47

HUTCHINSON TOURNEY

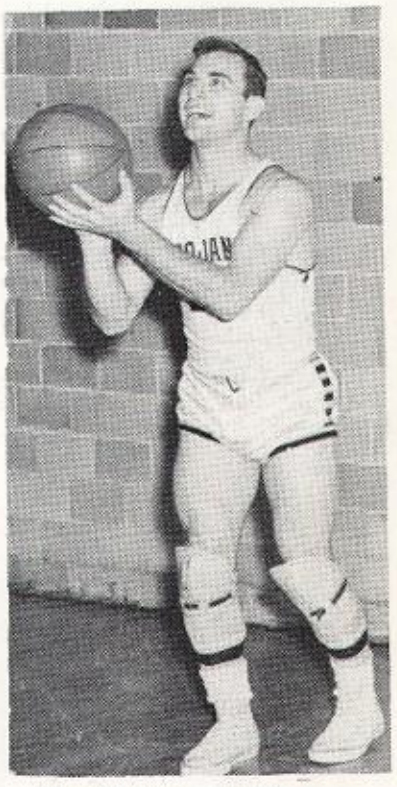
Topeka 35 — Hutchinson	44
Topeka 26 — Emporia	42
Topeka 37 — Argentine	49

REGIONAL TOURNEY

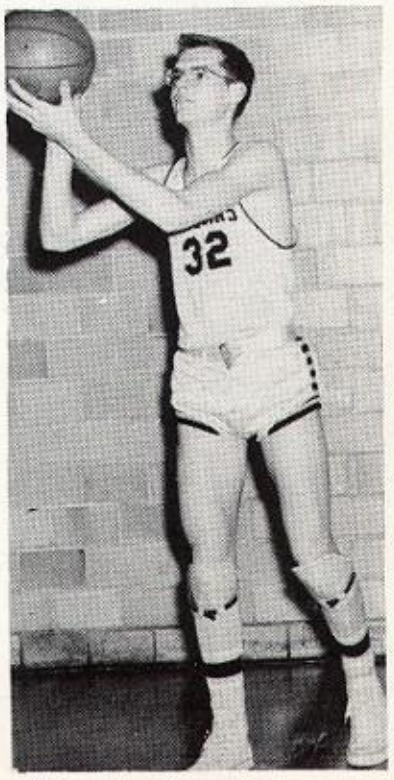
Topeka 40 — Ottawa	38
Topeka 39 — Argentine	45

STATE TOURNEY

Topeka 45 — Shawnee Mission	31
Topeka 38 — Newton	57



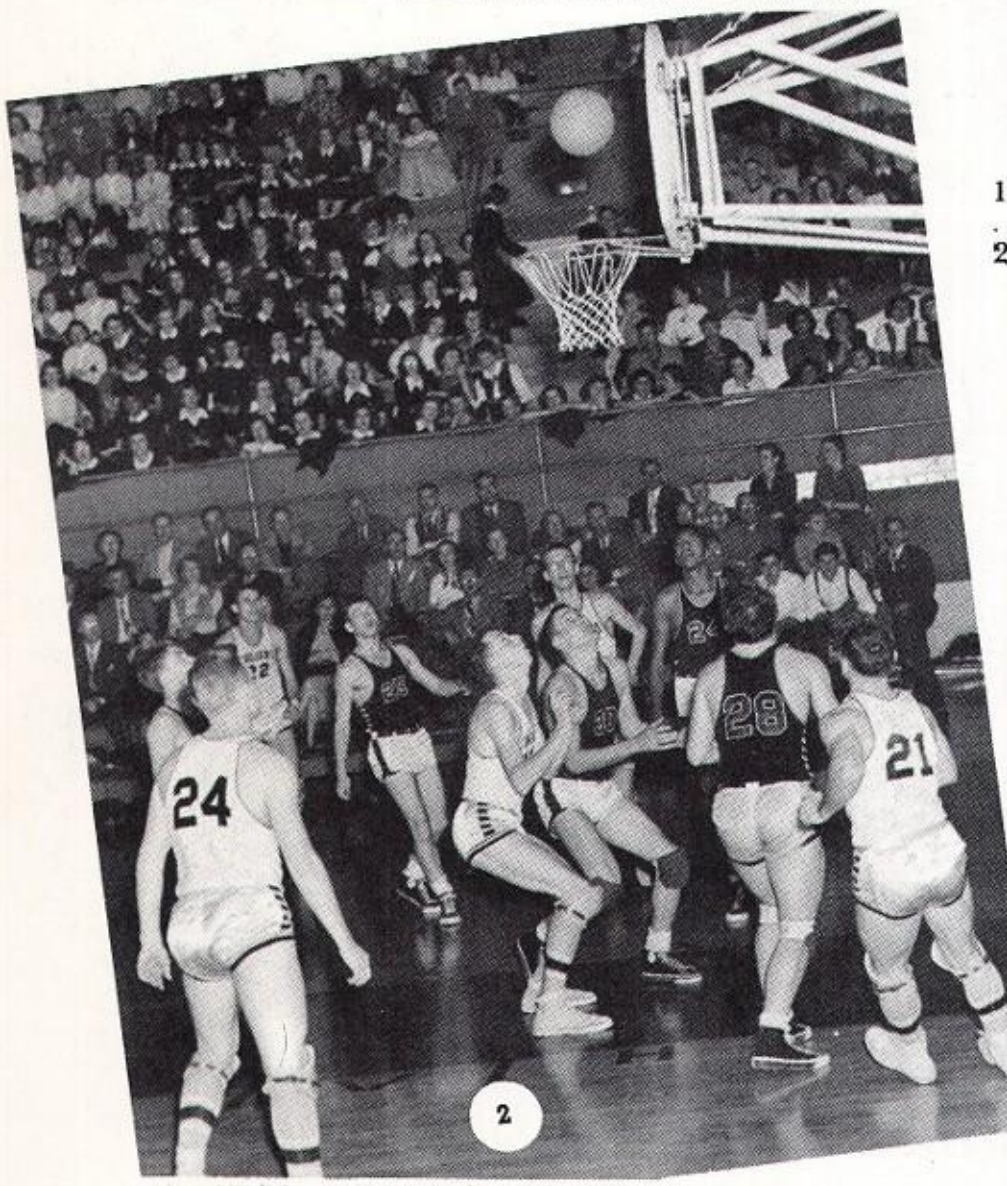
Dean Boyles, guard



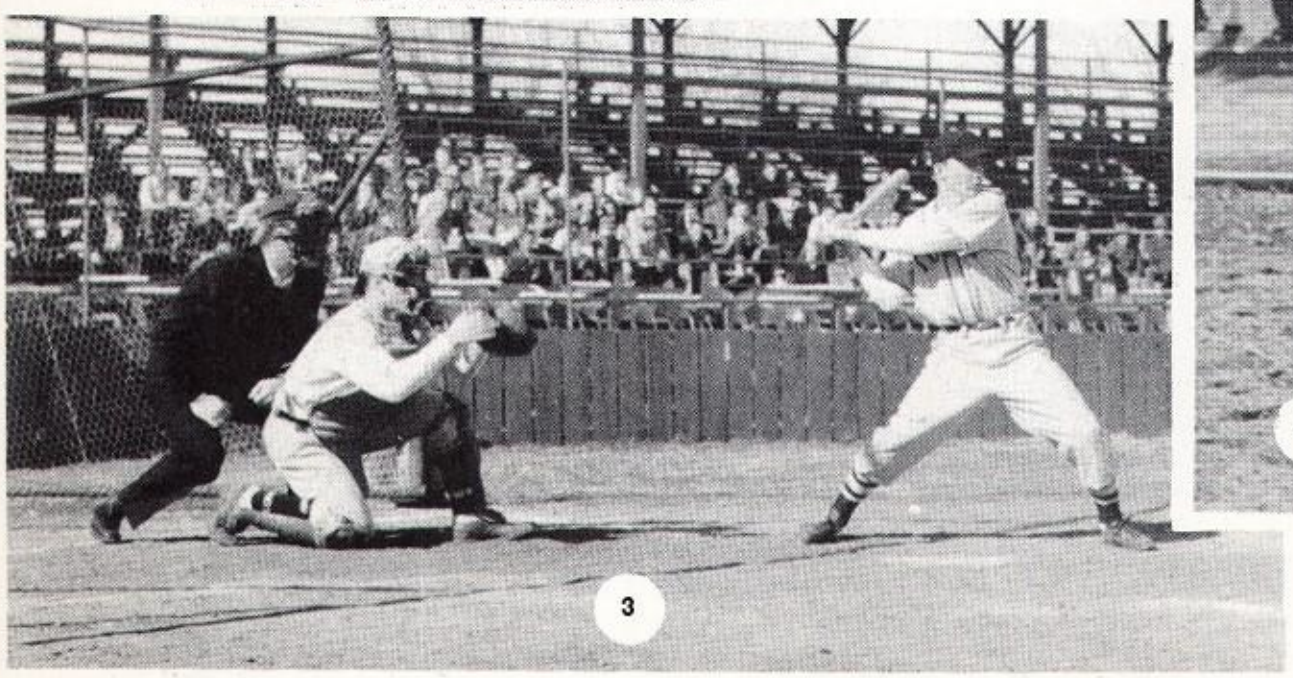
Dick Hadley, forward

Through the year

TROJAN SPORTS



1. Coach Davenport gives team last minute pep talk.
2. Will it be good?



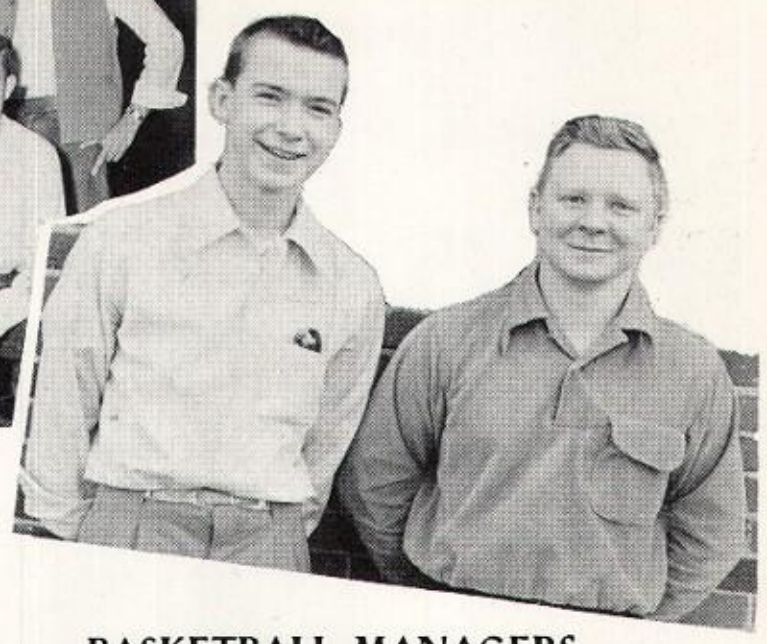
3. Pla—a—ay ball!
4. Jack Grotewohl wins shot-put with mighty heave at Highland Park track meet.

In the basket

HOOPSTERS

WINNING INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL

Front Row: Ralph Wendt, John Darr.
Back Row: Devere Kennedy, Bill Rush, Jack McCord.



BASKETBALL MANAGERS

Sam Deitz, Tom Coolidge

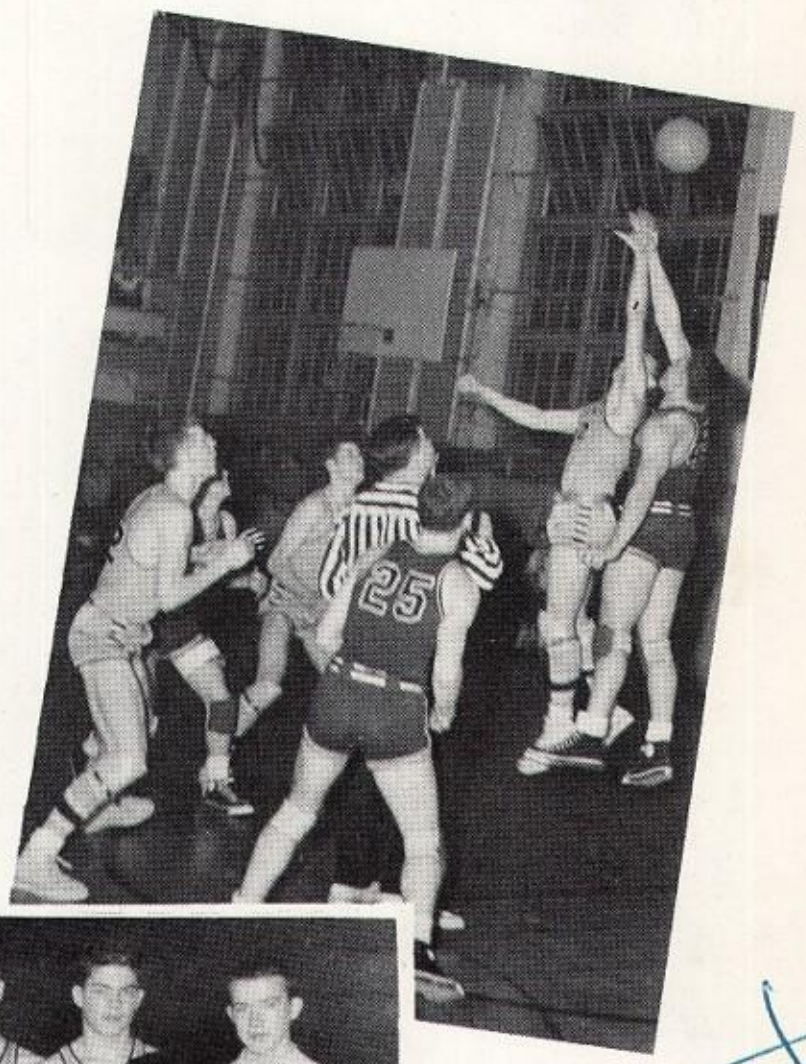
Three hundred ten cage enthusiasts, under the direction of Charles Mills, participated in Topeka High's intramural basketball program. Designed to allow every boy who wants to play basketball a chance to do so, the program increases annually.

Games were staged after school and were coached by Washburn University students.

The teams of Philip Oelke, Darrell Peyton, and John Darr took the Sophomore, Junior, and Senior titles respectively. After a second round, Darr won the school championship in the finals of the tournament.

"B" team basketball was under the guidance of Coach Mel Seelye. Trojan "Bees" played in the preliminary at Troy's home and road games and staged a tilt of their own with Washburn Rural High.

Troy's basketball squad was managed throughout the season by Sam Deitz and Jerry Rosenlund.

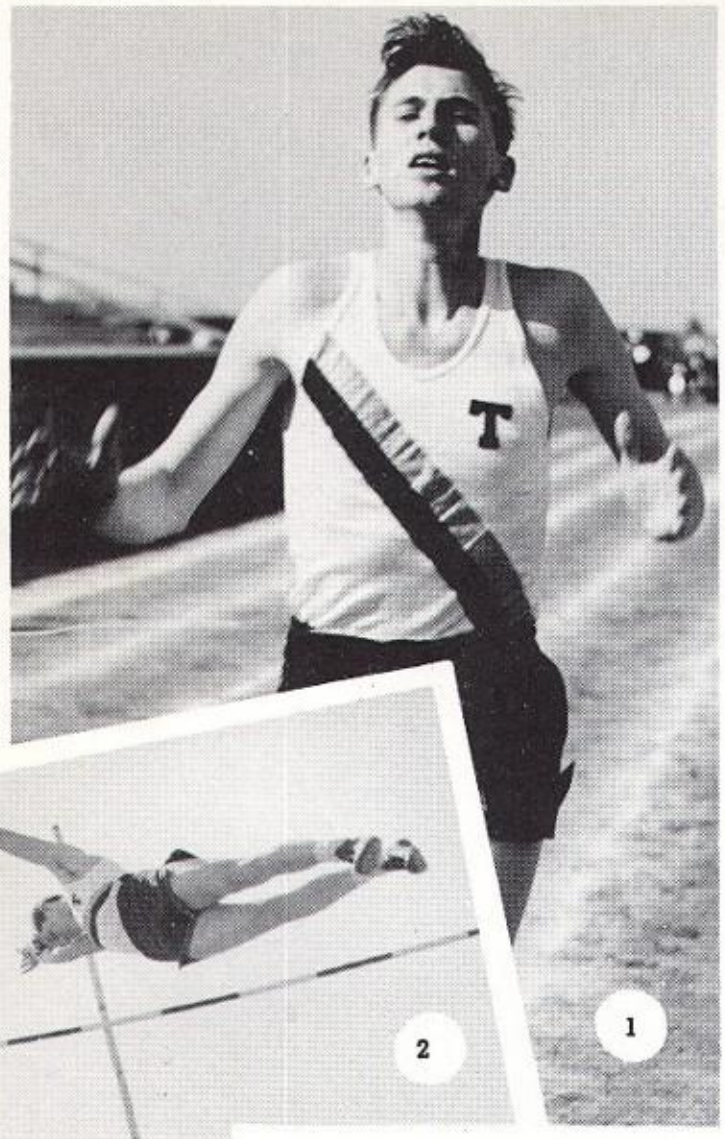


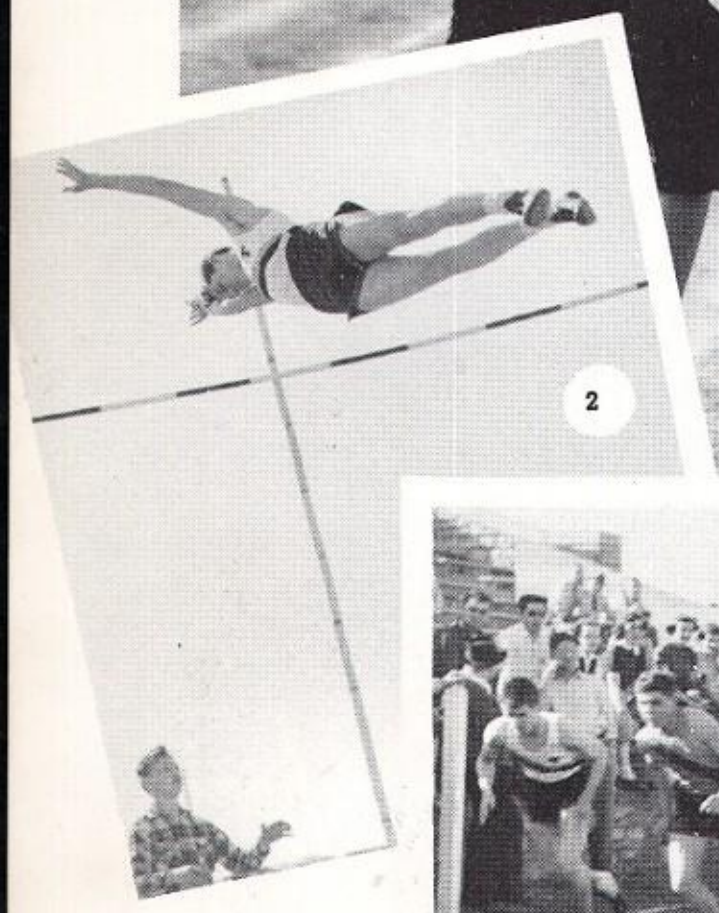
"B" TEAM BASKETBALL

Front Row: D. Robison, C. Thompson, B. Soucy, B. Davenport, J. Schlegel, B. Reichert, R. Thompson.
Back Row: J. Rosenlund, G. Golliher, D. Cavanaugh, J. McIntosh, B. Petersen, Mel Seelye (coach), R. Ginavan, J. Johnson, J. Dixon, L. Peoples, S. Deitz.

Under flying feet

TRACK



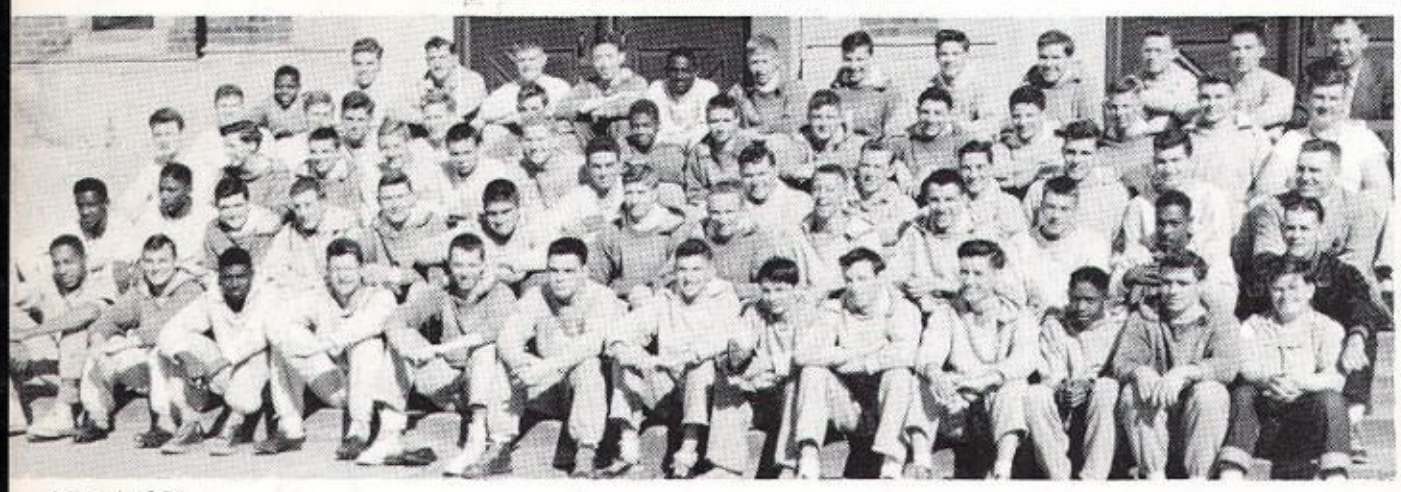


Topeka High's 1950 track squad, coached by D. L. "Heavy" Erwin, was supported by 16 returning lettermen. Although not among the experienced tracksters returning to this year's squad, Ray Morris took first in the mile run at the K. U. relays in the Fall. He was edged out of his usual top position, however, in the annual Spring K. U. relays to take second.

Jack Grotewohl also showed excellent individual ability throughout the season. Jack brought in the points for Troy by consistently placing in the shot-put.

The Juniors took the pre-season inter-class meet, showing talented material. Troy outclassed its opponents in the inter-city meet and continued through the year, placing first the majority of the time. Competing with the top AA schools in the K. U. relays, the Trojans took fifth.

1. Ray Morris breaks the tape to tak the mile run.
2. Vaulting high into the air, Kennet Reeves clears the top bar.
3. Boys from all over Topeka sprin forward in competition during th inter-city track meet.



TRACK

Front Row: Petersen, Boyles, Mady, Grotewohl, Boyd, Peyton, Morris, Ridgeway, Brooks, Bartlow, Patterson, McCullough, Reppart (manager).

Second Row: Wallick, Everett, Bunten, Hartman, Smith, McCoy, Lewis, Michener, Brown, Erwin, Sebright, Gentry, Charles Mills (coach).

Third Row: Golliher, Hallewell, Allen, Hewitt, King, Bliss, Pasley, Miles, Wilkinson, Bennett, Troup, Devine, Bob Briggs (coach).

Fourth Row: Johnson, Schlegel, Soucy, Matson, Ives, Slaughter, Fields, Coolidge, Moyer, Kallen, Drum, Kelly, D. L. Erwin (coach).

Back Row: Banks, Hobbs, Reeves, Davenport, Burns, Bentley, Lewis, Schowengerdt, Dixon, Trott, Beasley, Dickinson, Jim Colton (coach).

BASEBALL

Front Row: Nowlan, Griffith, Fink, Padilla, Martin, Johnson, Kennedy, Sleeper, Wendt.

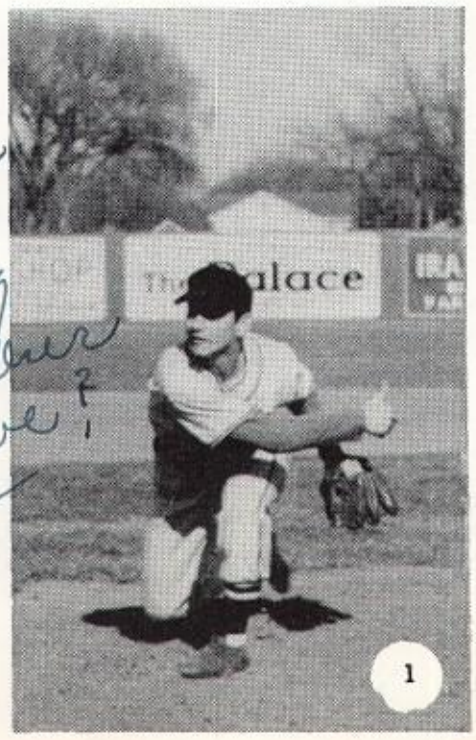
Back Row: Gill, Thompson, Ginavan, Nelson, Ridgeway, Coffman, Darr, Goff, Gordon, Stratton, McCord, Coach Frank Grath.

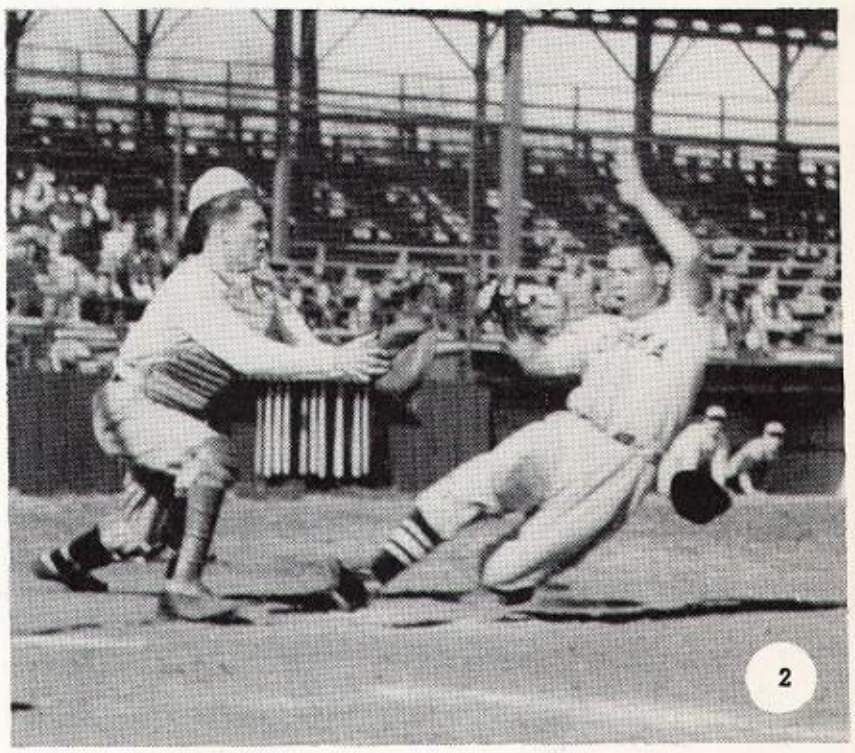
With balls and bats

BASEBALL

As Troy's baseball squad opened its 1950 season, it played its first game in the newly-organized Border High School Baseball League, the first loop with which Topeka High has been affiliated since 1938.

Through an arrangement with the Owl Ball Club Troy used Hicks field for a home diamond. Supported by an increasing number of baseball fans, the Trojans took the League championship under the able coaching of Frank McGrath.





1. Burt Johnson throws ball to homeplate.

2. Safe! Ray Johnson scores for Topeka.

WRESTLING

Front Row: B. Nowlan, B. Gabler, N. Christman, C. Davis, J. Slate, R. Hewitt.
Row 2: G. Davis, B. Hobbs, B. Pfeffer, C. Hodges, B. Tice, G. Glasgow.
Back Row: C. Jones, P. Coolidge, B. Beal, L. Swager, B. McCullough, Floyd Holcomb (coach).

On the mat and in the pool

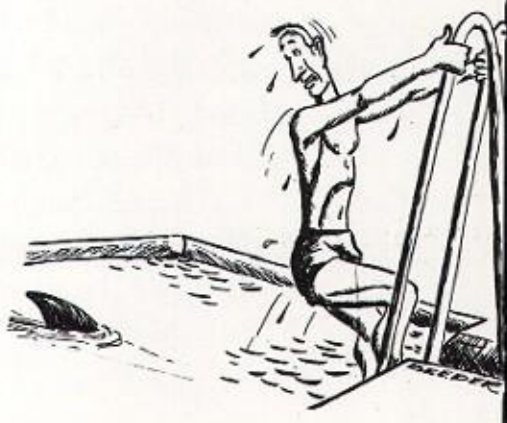
WRESTLING AND SWIMMING

The Trojan wrestling record showed steady improvement although Coach Floyd Holcomb had no matmen in the 103 lb. class. This caused the Trojans to forfeit five points a meet. Mr. Holcomb succeeded in developing one state champion in Bob McCullough. Bob gained the championship of the 175 lb. division in the state meet at Oberlin.

Several Sophomores turned out for practice this season, giving hope of better Trojan wrestling squads in the future.

Topeka High swimmers, under Coach Charles Mills, showed that swimming was an up-and-coming sport at Troy. The Trojans downed Wyandotte, 34 to 23, for Wyandotte's first beating in the four years Troy has supported a swimming team.

Alan "Skip" Dickinson scored continually in the 100 yard breast stroke. Skip bettered the state record several times and officially set a new mark in the state meet at Wichita.



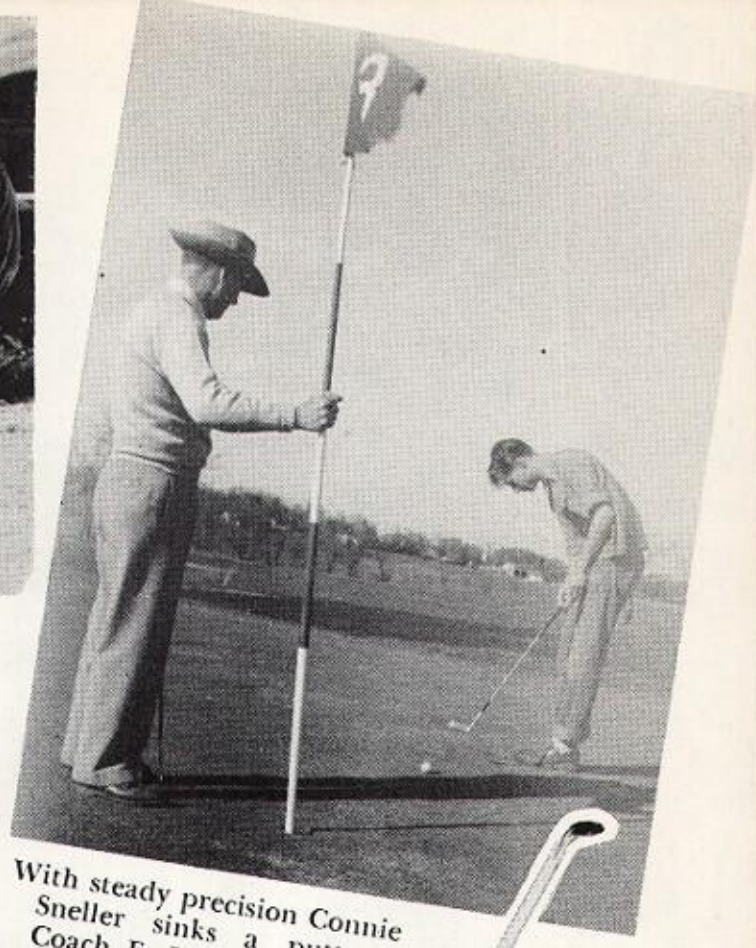
SWIMMING

Front Row: S. Brier, B. Bannerman, B. Smith, B. Willis.
Row 2: J. Cofran, J. Grotewohl, J. Bunten, J. Denton, C. Valley, T. Sleeper, D. Jordon, J. Allen, B. Grogger, J. Scott, A. Dickinson, D. Ohse.
Back Row: L. Munns, Charles Mills (coach).

GOLF

Front Row: Bob McKinley, Bob Willis, Stan Freidberg, Dick Sargent.

Back Row: Connie Sneller, Jack Denton, E. L. Fink (coach), Jerry Schafer, Randall Murphy.



With steady precision Connie Sneller sinks a putt as Coach E. L. Fink removes pin.

By nets and greens

TENNIS AND GOLF

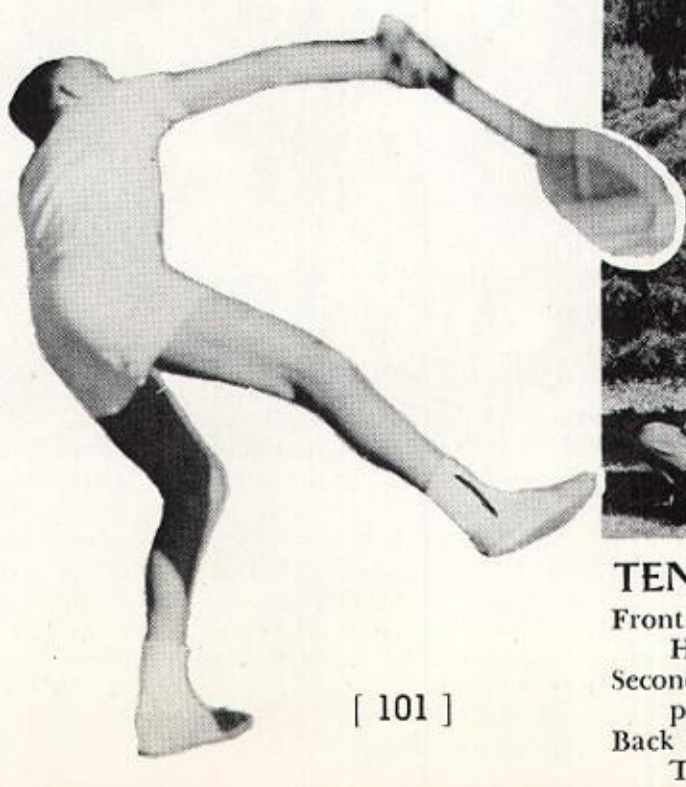
Although they had only two lettermen, Dick Hadley and Charles Keith, the Topeka High tennis team showed strong possibilities of defending their 9-year unbeaten skein. Keith and Hadley teamed with Bill Carpenter, Don McPherson, and Danny Holcomb to rack up an impressive record. Coached by W. J. Barnett, the Trojans racked up another "good" tennis year.

E. L. Fink's defending state golf champions had another top year on the links. Led by returning lettermen, Connie Sneller, Bob McKinley, and Jerry Schafer, four other linksters, Stan Freidberg, Dick Sargent, Bob Willis, and Jack Denton proved their worth. The golfers copped many new honors for the house of Troy.

Since this book went to press before the tennis and golf squads had finished their year's activities, it was impossible to give each teams' final record.

Bob Willis drives his ball straight down the fairway.

With a powerful fore-hand, Dick Hadley slams the ball over the net.



TENNIS

Front Row: William Smell, Charles Keith, Richard Frager, Richard Hadley.

Second Row: Swede Malm, Danny Holcomb, Marvin Roush, Bill Carpenter, Dan Robison.

Back Row: Bob Whitehead, Arthur Casper, W. J. Barnett (coach), Jack Truly, Don McPherson.

PEP CLUB OFFICERS

Front Row: Cynthia Davis, Connie Sawyer, Claire Ensign.
Row 2: Marie Payton, Marilyn Towler, Vicki Rosenwald.
Back Row: Kathryn Jury, Farol Fry, Nancy Bleckley.

Amid rousing cheers

PEP ORGANIZATIONS

Maru, Maru, Marrack, Marrack,
Hurray for the Gold! Hurray for the Black!
Who, who, who are we?
Topeka, Topeka, can't you see!

In their black uniforms with the gold "T's" girls of the Pep Club cheered the Trojan teams i victory and defeat. Besides representing our schoo at home encounters, the group helped with Home coming ceremonies, sponsored assemblies on day of big games, and sold ads for the basketball pro grams. Highlight of Pep Club activities was th snake dance down 10th Street and Kansas Avenue

Sponsors Bill Adams, Miss Jeanne Cooper, Lloy W. Kistler, and Miss Mildred Wells worked wit Pep Club officers—Kathryn Jury, president; Mar lyn Towler, secretary; Vicki Rosenwald, treasure and Nancy Bleckley, secretary of the Point Syste —in making it an active organization. Farol Fry aided by Robert McKibben, headed the Hono Pep Club.

Tro-Joes, the newly organized boys' Pep Clu were an asset to the cheering section at the game as they helped boost school spirit. Their brigh gold coveralls accented the black and white un forms of the girls' Pep groups.

TRO-JOE OFFICERS

Front Row: Keith Schulte, Jerry Bray.
Back Row: Jerry Hutchison, John Reppart, Jerry Rosenlund.

Busy Trojans help curb football fans' hunger.

HONOR PEP CLUB

Front Row: Virginia Bartos, Margaret Moore, Sandra Dexter, Donna Barrett, Joan Bennett, Betty Bubb, Jean McDonald, Frances Smith, Martha Jo Johnson, Farol Fry.
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Back Row: Kathryn Jury, Mary Brelsford, Doris Drennon, Barbara Degnan, Jane Currier, Marie Payton, Shirley Deniston, Janet Pollom, Connie White, Ida Mae True, Margaret Lester.

Behind our team

CHEERLEADERS

1. Charles Axton leads the band in a snappy tune during the State Basketball Tournament.
2. Eager fathers watch their sons in a tight spot during the Dads' Night football game.

"Come on, you Trojans, let's go!" And we did, led by the rousing cheers and hearty yells of six "A" team cheerleaders. On the assembly stage and on the spot-lighted playing field, they gave their voices and boundless energy to help the team.

Under their leadership, Troy's hopes merged into a single cry of "Gold, Black, we're back of you;" then whether we officially won or lost, we knew we'd come out ahead. The vitality, pep, and gay enthusiasm of our cheerleaders made the student body merrier and stronger—for which contribution they got a big vote of thanks.

"B" TEAM CHEERLEADERS

Mickey Ecord, Bob Grogger, Marlene Sewell.

"A" TEAM CHEERLEADERS

Myron McClenny, Sue Anderson, Jim Allen, Mary Jane Trulove, Jay Holstine, Becky Thacher.

Left: Husking Bee's prize styles are modeled by Donna Skinner, Marcia Ralston, Janice Brown, Shirley Critchlow, Fredrica Voiland, Georgia Steck.

Right: Ladies of leisure Donna Garrigues, Shirley Curtis, Edna Schumacher, and Belinda Barnett view the fun from lofty heights.

With girls' athletics

TROY JANES; SENIOR LEADERS

SENIOR LEADERS

Front Row: Marian Knight, Susan Forney, Dolores Dewitt, Lois Richards.
Row 2: Mary Jane Trulove, Pat Martin, Shirley Malcolm, Virginia Brooks, Charlotte Frickey.
Back Row: Miss Mildred Wells, adviser; Miss Jeanne Cooper, adviser.

The Troy Jane Club, girls' athletic organization, has completed its fourth year of existence. The number of active members, now more than 300, is a large increase in participants over former years.

Tournaments were held in soccer, volleyball, basketball, ping-pong, archery, bowling, softball, badminton, and deck tennis.

In evidence that pioneer days have not been forgotten, the Troy Janes put on a Husking Bee, sponsored by Miss Mildred Wells and Miss Jeanne Cooper, November 12. Corn stalks and pumpkins greeted the enthusiastic crowd as they entered, and old-fashioned square dancing and contests added to the occasion.

As an added Spring activity the club sponsored a skating party for all Topeka High girls.

Senior Leaders, girls outstanding in physical education, had an active part in promoting Troy Jane activities.

TROY JANE BOARD

Front Row: Shirley Malcolm, Mary Jane Trulove, Pat Martin, Marilyn Dunn.
Row 2: Charlotte Frickey, Loretta Cox, Alice Terry, Patty Cravens, Mary Michener, Jacki Mills, Jane Grantham, Virginia Brooks.
Back Row: Miss Jeanne Cooper, adviser; Dolores DeWitt, Donna Tarwater, Susan Forney, Jane Henry, Miss Mildred Wells, adviser.

From tumbling to basketball

GIRLS' GYM

1. A "one," a "two," a "three," a "four" limbers girls' gym class.
2. With a cry of triumph Mickey Ecord lands a basket.
3. Shirley Malcolm, Harriet Morgan, Darlene Phillips, Alice Terry, Martha Jo Johnson, Virginia Brooks scramble into a pyramid.
4. The bottom layer gives way, and down tumbles the pyramid.
5. Althea Bromich deftly maneuvers a hand spring.

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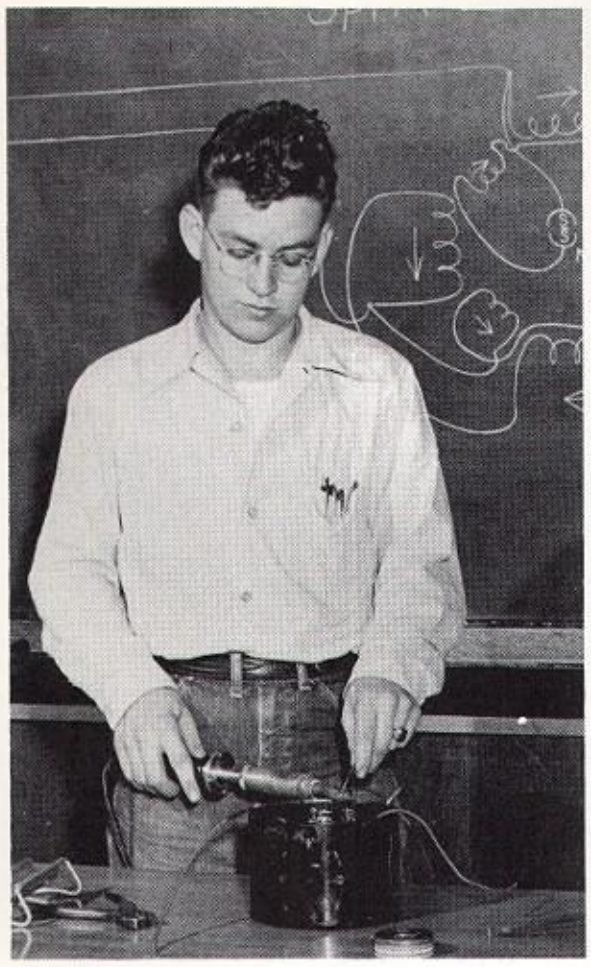
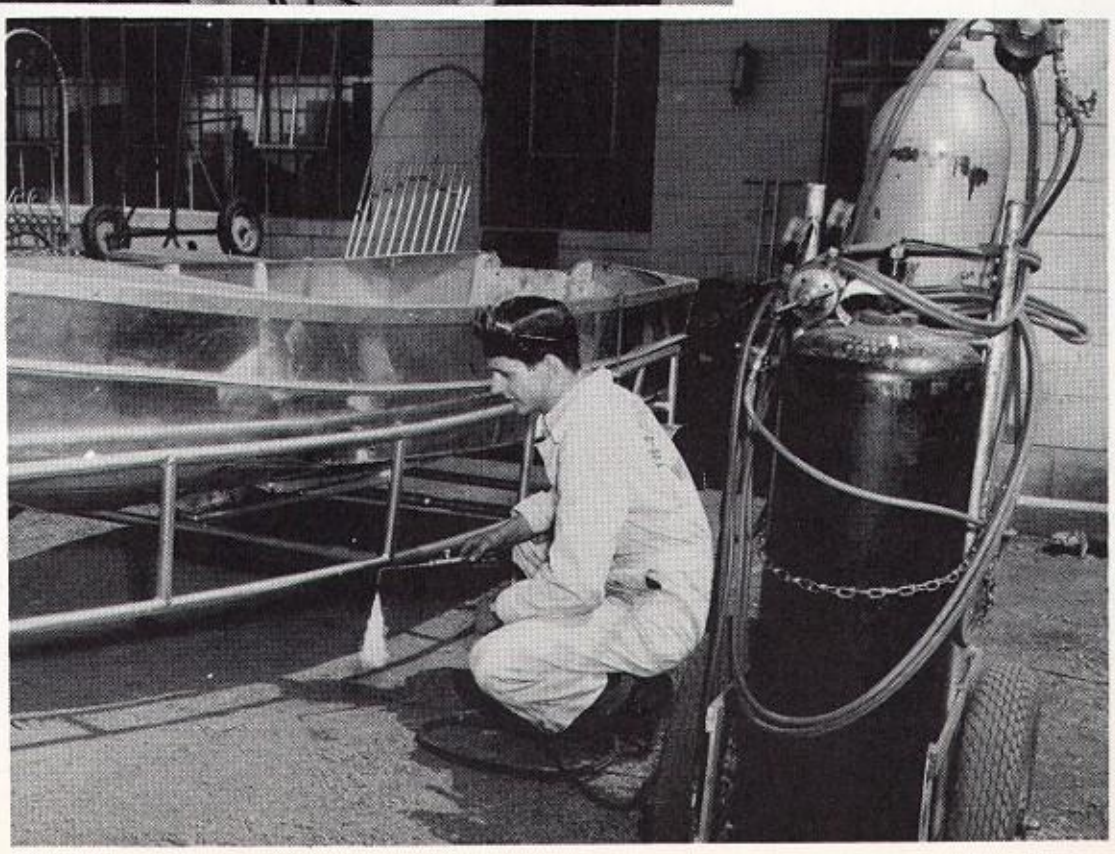


Don Smith solders leads on a quarter horse motor.

After inviting pretty models Mary Ream and Annette Huke to the Trade School, Jack Eckhardt and Charles Smith practice their photography.



Using an acetylene torch, Clifford Myers welds a boat.

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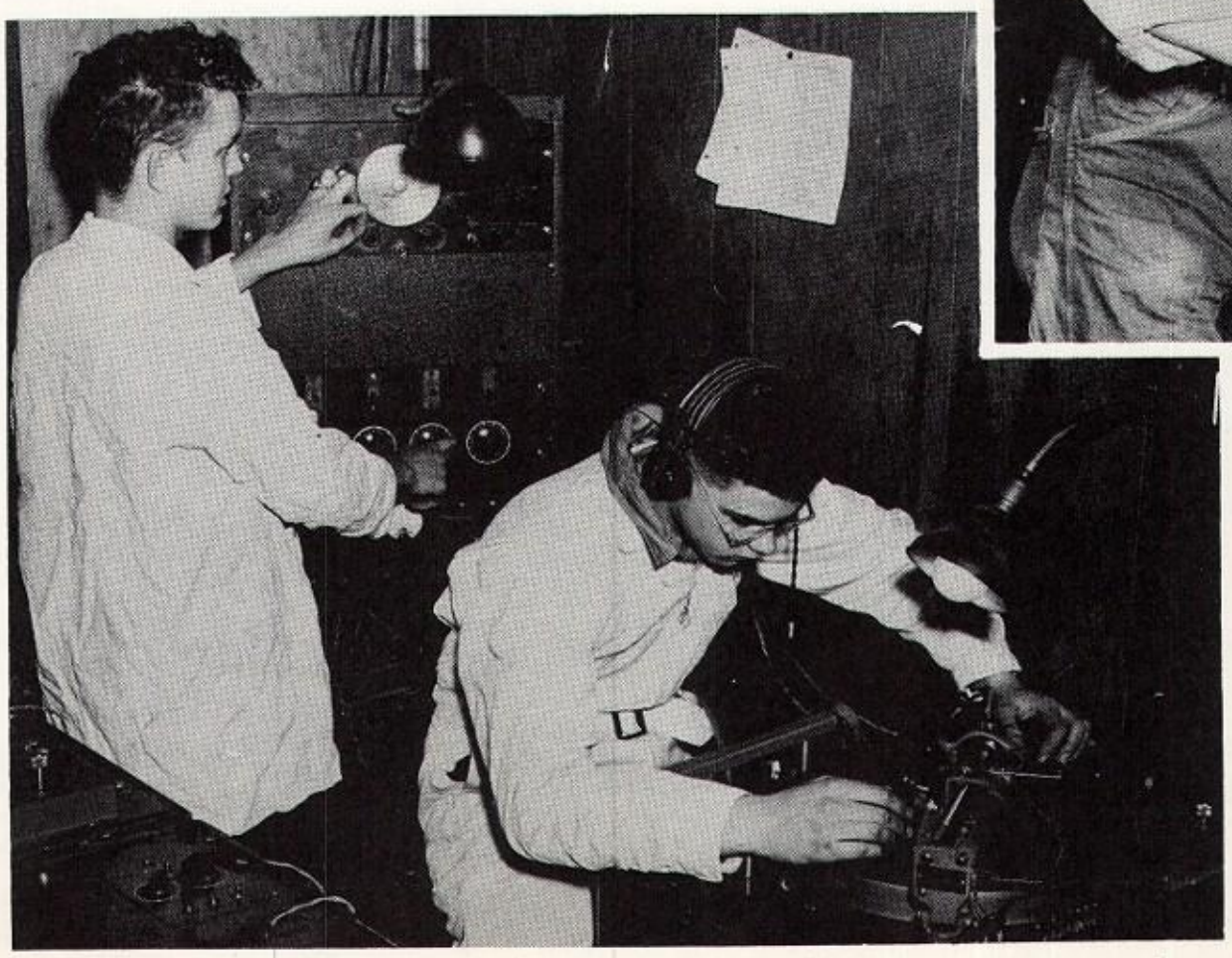
By assembling a motor, Jake Huyett learns auto-mechanics.

Donald Seastrom assembles gear-train for a tractor.



Ralph Zirkle and Myron Hayes test recording equipment.

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We hope that this yearbook is truly a brightly shining pane of magic glass for you, a rose-colored window through which you can glimpse yourself and your classmates, the laughter and toil, the sunshine and sorrow, that make the past so dear. Look often and long. This window was built for you.

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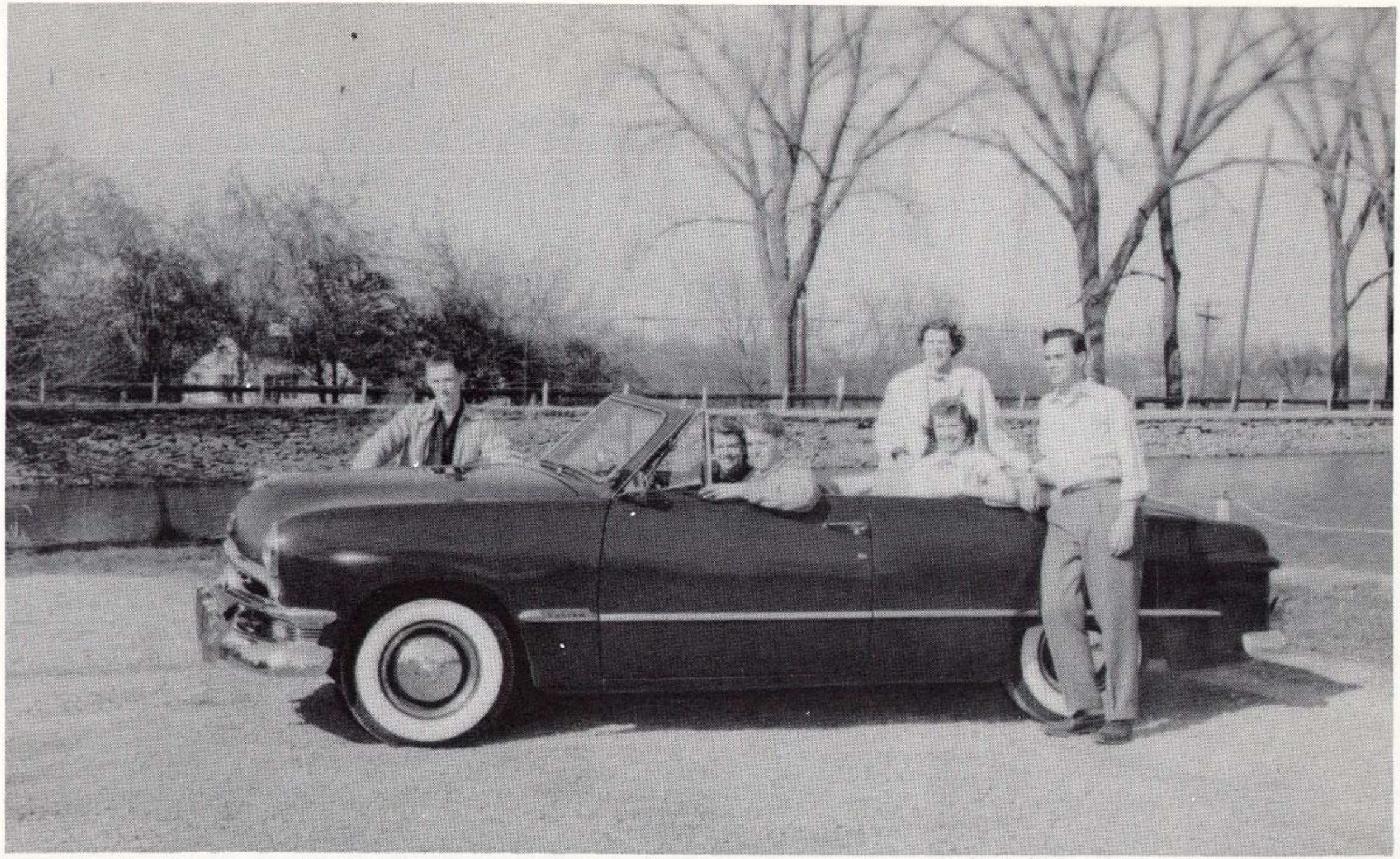

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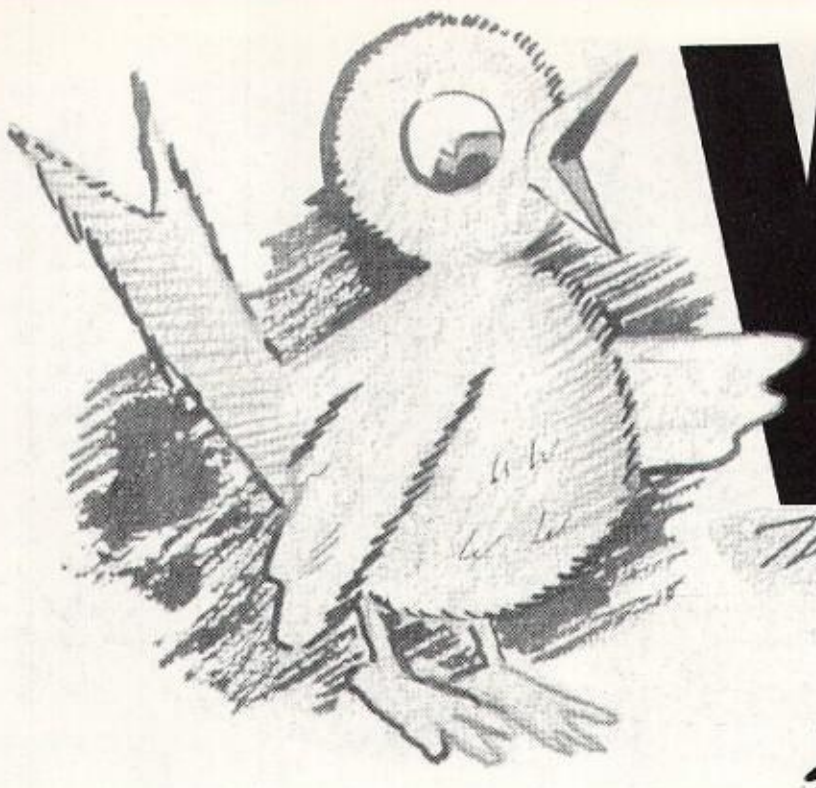

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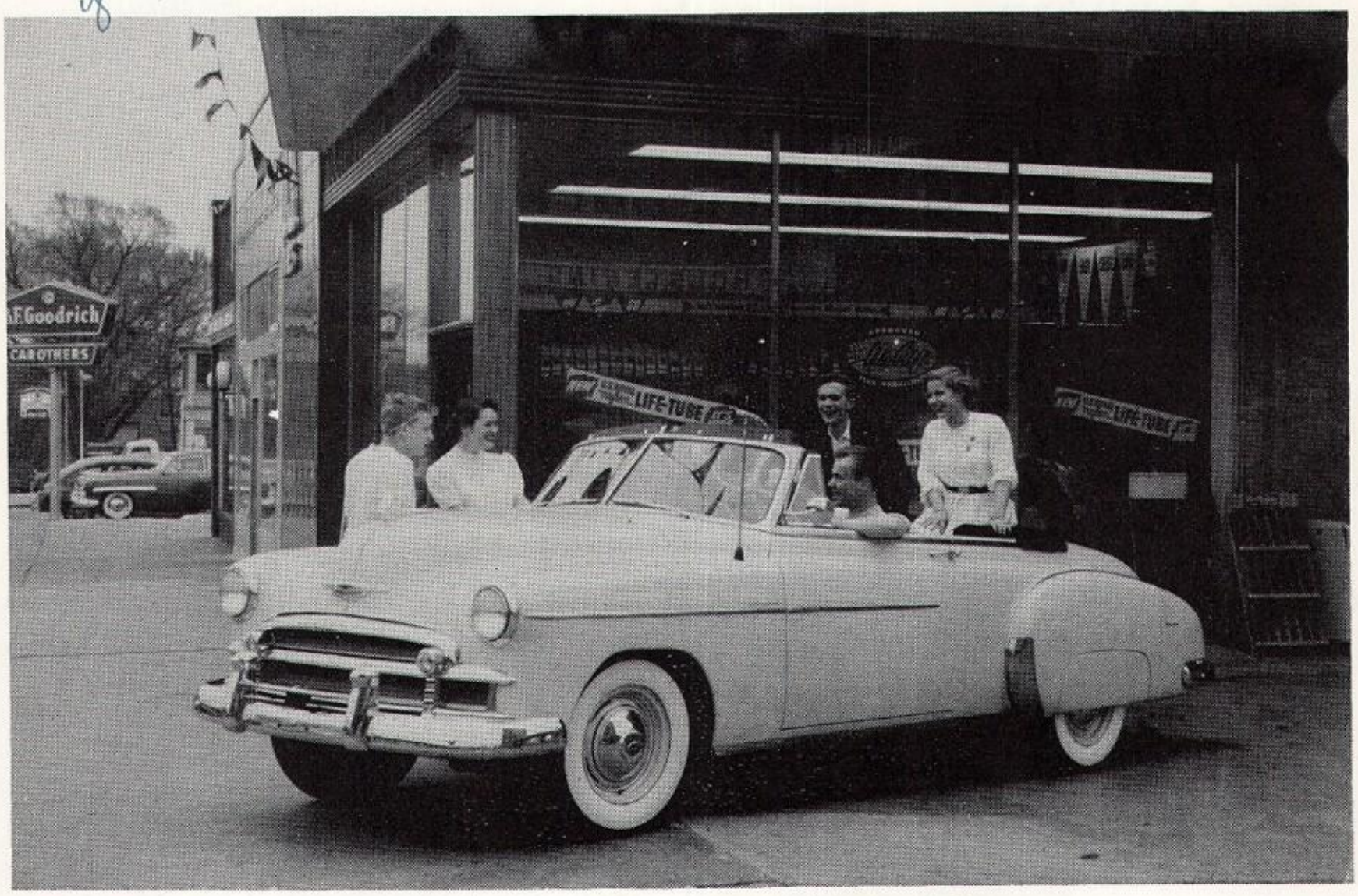

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the best of luck in
everything (including your
love life) I can't pretend
to consider myself a friend
of yours. Have loving affair
remember me in the years to
come, as I will remember you -
"Kramer"

Joan -
Loads of luck to a
real swell person. Will
be seeing each other this fall!
summer & hope! Have fun!
Don't do anything I wouldn't.
The best of luck to a swell Newton
lucky to a Church
kid
Love, Ruth Lesaite

Joan -
Loads of luck to a really
swell gal. After all
we've had our little
fights but I really
do like you a lot.
Best of Luck & hope
there are known hard feelings
Donna Rae Goff

Joan -
I think you are a
grand gal. I know
we have had our little
fights but I really
do like you a lot.
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nice knowing
Best Wishes Always.
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next year.
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Janet Hosler

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Evelyn Killing

Good luck in the future
Ellen

To a swell girl,
Donna Jean Baldmore

Dear Joan,
Its really been swell knowing you
because you're loads
of fun. Please stay
that way. I wish
you the best of
everything.
Patty
Steve

Joan,
We've had a lot of
laughs together
and here hoping
we do this summer again.
a swell girl
Doug

Road of luck
to a swell gal
and friend
Ellen Nagel

Dear Joan
Good luck & lots of
fun to you kiddo —
Remember our
typing class —
Good luck dearie.
Jeanette Hackett

Wishing you the best of
luck to swell girl
Mary Hafner

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girl
Joan
Knowing you
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Norma a Small

Joan —
I don't know what to
write except
Good Luck
Always
Mary Ellen

Joan:
You are a cute
and swell gal.
Good luck to
you and see
you around.
Hope
Jerry Robinson

Joan:
You're really a swell girl.
Don't help but remember
all the good times we
have had through out
school years.
Best of luck.
Lois Jones

Joan,
You're really a swell girl.
Keep smiling and
Good Luck
Joan Belgard

Joan,
I've really enjoyed
knowing you this
year.
Best of luck
to a swell gal
Joan
Myers

Joan —
Here's wishing you
Lots of luck
Always
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Joan,
You're a swell girl.
Keep smiling
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Joan —
Here's wishing you
Lots of luck
Always
Shirley Hall

Here's lots of luck and lots of fun during the coming Exams.
Lots of luck
Carolee
Hammond

Best wishes to a swell English student -
Dear Myra

To a wonderful girl
and a sweet friend
Teddeche (Ted) Hanny
P.S. I hope you catch them.

Lots of luck
to you.
Norma Smallboy

I'll see you
this summer
Penny